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**BOMBING CASES HAVING
APPARENT RACIAL OR RELIGIOUS BASIS**

Re attached Bureau airtel to all SACs dated October 22, 1958, which requested all offices to review files for potential suspects who may be affiliated with any of the various "hate groups" and/or have indicated they might resort to violence. The suspects should be assigned to designated agents who will be responsible for developing at the earliest possible time background information regarding each suspect. This background should include residence, employment, hours of employment, description of his auto, license, photo, identification record, and reliable neighborhood source.

In addition to an agent being responsible for each designated suspects there should be an alternate agent for the background on each suspect.

This matter should be given the immediate attention by the agent to whom these cases are assigned.

Cases are being opened (except those cases already open) at this time by the Chicago Office on the individuals and/or their organizations listed below.

105-1709 - JOSEPH BRANHANNNAIS
105-3892 - CP C (F. ALLEN MANN) assigned
105-1152 - EUSTACE CLARENCE MULLINS
105-2790 - NATIONALIST CONSERVATION PARTY
(WILLIAM WERNICKE) assigned GRIBER
105-3527 -
✓ 105-new - HAYNARD "MAX" NELSEN

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On 11/1/58, Mr. JOSEPH SCHAEFFER, 626 South Federal, Chicago, appeared at this office and furnished a galley proof of a handbill put out by the M & N Associates, Box 1785, Chicago, and entitled "The Atlanta Report".

SCHAEFFER was intoxicated and admitted he had been drinking all day. He stated he works for the Franklin Typographers, 626 Federal (also lives there) which is owned by FRANK REEKIE.

SCHAEFFER explained that the Franklin Typographers set the print on the above handbill and SCHAEFFER delivered the type to a Mr. KRAUSS, Composing Room of the Universal Label Co., 525 South Dearborn, last 10/27/58. SCHAEFFER was of the opinion that the Universal Label Company would print the copies of the leaflet.

SCHAEFFER stated that a fellow employee, HENRY J. OETTINGER, a former member of the CC 100-27431 (HENRY J. OETTINGER) Communist Party was told by the owner of the Franklin Co. to take a copy to the B'Nai B'Rith, Fisher Building, and the B'Nai B'Rith told OETTINGER to take it to the FBI. OETTINGER, because of his former associations, did not want to come to the FBI Office.

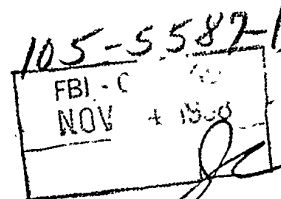
Inasmuch as the leaflet contains information derogatory to the FBI and the information was furnished to the Bureau by Supervisor J. HURLY no action is being recommended.

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① - 105-~~1152~~ (MAYNARD NELSEN IS-X)

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Via **AIRTEL**

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To: All SACs

PERSONAL ATTENTION

From: Director, FBI

BOMBING CASES HAVING APPARENT RACIAL OR RELIGIOUS BASIS

By SAC Letter No. 58-63 you were instructed to take certain steps in cases involving bombings having an apparent racial or religious interest with resultant widespread publicity interest. In view of the number of cases arising involving the bombings of schools, churches, and other edifices, and since time is of the essence in handling such investigations, it is necessary that the field office receive immediate notification of any such bombing. It is desirable that each office have a proposed plan of action which can be immediately activated to enable the Bureau to carry out its responsibilities in a most efficient manner.

By airtel of October 20, 1958, you were further directed to prepare appropriate instructions for the personnel of your office as to the manner in which such a program could be placed into effect. In this connection you should make certain that your instructions include the following points:

I. Notification

- A. The employee receiving the information concerning the bombing must immediately notify the SAC or whoever is acting in his absence giving full details of all available information. The employee will then furnish such information to the ASAC.
- B. The SAC or individual acting in charge of the office must immediately notify the Bureau by telephone furnishing the known facts and obtain authority in each instance to make an immediate statement to the press.
- C. The SAC or individual in charge will contact the press in accordance with SAC Letter No. 58-63.

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- D. The SAC or individual in charge will contact the local authorities and extend the FBI services.
- E. The ASAC will arrange for immediate notification of necessary Agent personnel. This should be handled in the most expeditious manner. You may desire to setup a system whereby each Agent upon receiving notification is responsible for immediately notifying another designated Agent thus increasing the number of Agents that may be contacted in the shortest possible time. Agents should proceed to the office or to the scene of the bombing to carry out their previously designated assignments.
- F. The ASAC may in instances involving bombings having apparent racial or religious basis immediately notify neighboring offices by teletype so that such offices may begin an immediate check as to the whereabouts of possible suspects.

II. Assignments

- A. The SAC or person acting in his absence will immediately proceed to the scene of the bombing and will be responsible for the over-all supervision and coordination of all Bureau activities.
- B. The ASAC, the second in command, will remain at the field office.
- C. An Agent should be designated to maintain liaison with the police. Consideration should be given to having this individual stationed at police headquarters so that he may immediately obtain any pertinent information coming to the attention of local authorities.
- D. Military liaison. Consideration should be given to having an Agent responsible for liaison with military authorities. This is particularly important in instances wherein it may be necessary to request explosive or detonation experts from a military establishment to handle explosives found at the scene which have not been discharged. Of course, it will not always be necessary for military explosive or detonation experts to be called to the scene.

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- E. Crime scene search.** Agents must be designated in advance who will be responsible upon notification to immediately proceed to the scene and handle the crime scene search.
- F. Informants.** An Agent should be designated in advance to immediately contact by the most expeditious means all informants who are in a position to have knowledge concerning the bombing or individuals responsible therefor.
- G. Neighborhood investigation.** Agents who have been previously designated should immediately upon notification proceed to the scene to institute immediate investigation in neighborhood of the crime scene.
- H. Suspects.** Agents previously designated should upon notification of a bombing institute immediate investigation to account for the whereabouts during the pertinent period of logical potential suspects.

III. Your office should at this time review files and maintain a list of potential suspects who may be affiliated with any of the various "hate groups" and/or have indicated they might resort to violence. The suspects should be assigned to designated Agents who will be responsible for developing at the earliest possible time background information regarding each suspect. Such background should include information as to the suspect's residence; his place of employment; and hours of employment; description of his automobile together with the license number; photograph of suspect; identification record of suspect; and a reliable neighborhood source.

In addition to an Agent being responsible for designated suspects, there should also be an alternate Agent responsible for the background information on each suspect.

IV. Observation. It is recognized, of course, that there are varying factors and conditions existing in different localities throughout the country and your program must be designed to most efficiently cover the areas within your territory. The foregoing are submitted as suggestions for the implementation of the program in your office and are not to be considered as all inclusive. A program

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must be devised to permit immediate action in instances where you will initiate active investigation.

You should advise the Bureau within ten days of the receipt of this communication of the individuals within your territory being considered as potential suspects in such matters.

All investigation must be afforded thorough, expeditious attention. The Bureau must be kept currently informed of developments. The office of origin must submit a daily teletype summary to the Bureau setting forth results of investigation conducted on that date and indicating in detail the investigation to be handled the following date.

TO: CHIEF CLERK

Aliases

Birth Date

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SAC, (105-4630)

November 12, 1958

SA [REDACTED]

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Re Charlotte letter to the Bureau dated 10/23/58.

On November 10, 1958, [REDACTED] (protect identity),
Postal Inspector's Office, New Post Office Building, VanBuren
and Canal Street, Chicago, Illinois, furnished SA [REDACTED] the
following information concerning Post Office Box 1785:

On October 16, 1954, Post Office Box 1785 was issued
to MAYNARD O. NELSEN of the Real Political Institute. At the
time of application, NELSEN resided at 1914 West School and was
employed by C. A. Ross and Company, 1315 West Webster, Chicago,
Illinois. NELSEN's references were Mrs. K. EDEN, 469 Deming
Place and FRED KESTER, 234 South Maple, Oak Park, Illinois.

Above submitted for info.

- ① - 105-5587 (MAYNARD NELSEN)
- 1 - 105-2437 (REAL POLITICAL INSTITUTE)

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OFFICE MEMORANDUM . . . UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC (105-2790)
FROM : SA PAUL M. GRIBER
SUBJECT: NATIONAL CONSERVATIVE PARTY
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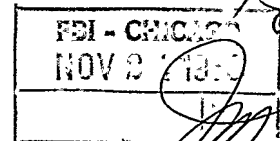
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On 10/20/58, RUTH WERNECKE, 5307 North Damen Avenue, Chicago, Illinois furnished information primarily concerning WILLIAM B. WERNECKE to SAs [redacted] and PAUL M. GRIBER. She also claimed that WILLIAM WERNECKE was also acquainted in some degree with the following individuals, and copies of an FD 302 dated 10/24/58 had been prepared and a copy has been designated to the files of these individuals:

[redacted]
MAX NELSON
JOSEPH BEAUHARNAIS
[redacted]

1-105-5606 [redacted]
1-105-1709 (JOSEPH BEAUHARNAIS)
1-100-3527 [redacted]
1-100-506 [redacted]
1-105-5587 (MAYNARD "MAX" NELSON)
1-65-582 (WILLIAM B. WERNECKE)
1-98-1890 (BOMBINGS AND ATTEMPTED BOMBINGS
PMG:BMC IN SOUTHERN COMMUNITIES)
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DATE 04-14-2010 BY 60322/UC/LRP/STP/ETG

Date 10/24/58

RUTH WERNECKE advised that she married WILLIAM B. WERNECKE in Mexico some time ago and that she has been separated from him since July 5, 1958, because of the cruel physical mistreatment she has received from him. She claimed that her maiden name is REINER and that she presently uses the name of RUTH ENGSTROM. WILLIAM WERNECKE resides at 6250 North Wayne Avenue, Chicago, Illinois, and has a 90 acre farm in Huntley, Illinois.

RUTH WERNECKE claimed that WILLIAM B. WERNECKE had bragged to her that prior to World War II he had a part in a bombing of a Chicago department store which broke some windows. He also admitted to her that he had bombed some tombstones in Jewish cemeteries; however, she could not furnish any details concerning these incidents. He has done considerable amount of dynamiting of tree stumps and water ponds on his farm in Huntley, Illinois. She knew that he purchased several cases of dynamite from [redacted] of the Atlas Explosive Company. [redacted]

[redacted] miles south of [redacted] WERNECKE has also purchased black powder from [redacted] and from Sports Inc., 5501 North Broadway, Chicago, Illinois and Keeney's Sport Shop in Elgin, Illinois. WERNECKE is an avid gun collector, makes his own bullets, and considers himself a firearms expert.

WERNECKE is considered to be very unstable and has been under the care of a psychiatrist, Dr. HANS DEUTSCH, 334 West Barry, Chicago, Illinois.

WILLIAM WERNECKE has instructed others in the use of explosives and is capable of inciting others to acts of violence, but would never have the courage to perform an actual bombing himself.

He had instructed one [redacted] believed to reside at [redacted] who was in Chicago for approximately four months several years ago, on the use of explosives. [redacted] stayed on WERNECKE's farm at Huntley. [redacted] was arrested by the Chicago, Illinois Police Department for possession of a loaded gun in his automobile. [redacted] was released on bond and immediately left the Chicago area.

In or about February, 1958, WILLIAM WERNECKE made a trip (alone) to Florida and Georgia. The nature of this trip was unknown.

WILLIAM WERNECKE has associated with [redacted] believed to be [redacted] and JOSEPH BEAUHARNAIS, address unknown. Both are considered capable of inciting others to performing acts of violence, but she had no information concerning their individual activities.

Interview with RUTH WERNECKE File # 105-2790
on 10/20/58 at 5307 North Damen Ave, Chicago Date dictated 10/24/58

by Special Agent [redacted] and PAUL M. GRIBER/bpw

CG 105-2790

WILLIAM WERNECKE, according to RUTH WERNECKE, is considered to be worth approximately \$125,000 and in order to avoid payment of taxes, he formed a church known as the American Humane Church, to which he has transferred his property. This is actually no church at all, but a church on paper only. The foundation of this church is reportedly recorded in McHenry County and WILLIAM WERNECKE has appointed himself as a bishop in this church.

The now defunct Nationalist Conservative Party, organized by WILLIAM WERNECKE, never had any active members. She could furnish no additional information concerning this organization.

She concluded that WILLIAM WERNECKE encouraged and supported racist literature put out by MAX NELSEN of the Real Political Institute, age 35, of 2545 West Catalpa, Chicago, Illinois, and one MAT KOEHL of Chicago.

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
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WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

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J. Edgar Hoover
Director.

The following FBI record, NUMBER

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CONTRIBUTOR OF FINGERPRINTS	NAME AND NUMBER	ARRESTED OR RECEIVED	CHARGE	DISPOSITION
PD, Mpls., Minn.	Maynard Orlando Nelson, #38062	4-24-47	threaten to do bodily harm	5-16-47, \$1000 Peace Bond filed.
SO, Mpls., Minn.	Maynard Orlando Nelsen #5303	10-22-47	inv.	11-6-47 rel to Vet Hosp
Army	Maynard Orlando Nelsen #17109020	9-18-42 Ft. Snelling Minn		

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1. This form may be submitted in legible hand-printing.
2. Use separate form for each individual on whom record is requested.
3. Make effort to furnish FBI Identification Number or Law Enforcement Identification Number.
4. Furnish descriptive data and fingerprint classification only when FBI Number not available.
5. Indicate office for reply in lower-left corner only. Also list in lower-left corner all offices which should receive copies of available records. Include carbon of revised FD-9 for each office receiving copies and forward with original to Bureau.
6. Do not fill in block in lower-right corner.
7. Where available furnish Law Enforcement Identification Number and Military Service Number.

To: DIRECTOR, FBI

Attention: Identification Division

Date

11/14/58

Re

MAYNARD ORLANDO NELSEN, wa.
Max Nelsen, IS-X

Furnish The Known Identification Record of the Following:

Name

MAYNARD ORLANDO NELSEN

FBI No.

Other No. ASN 17109020

Aliases

MAX NELSEN

Sex M	Race W	Birth Date 1/1/24	Birthplace Minneapolis, Minnesota	Residence 2545 Catalpa, Chicago		
Height 5'7"	Weight 140	Build Medium	Hair Blond	Eyes Blue	Complexion Fair	Age 34

Fingerprint Classification

Scars, marks and tattoos

Also Furnish:

- ☒ Photo
☒ Fingerprints
☒ Handwriting Specimens

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Identification Division's Reply

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SAC (98-1890)

11/10/58

SA JULIAN R. WALTERS

BOMBINGS AND ATTEMPTED BOMBINGS
IN SOUTHERN COMMUNITIES
RACIAL MATTERS

In order to assist in the solving of bombings and threats of bombings against religious and educational institutions, the Latent Fingerprint Section at the Bureau is establishing a Single Fingerprint File composed of fingerprints of known or potential users of explosives in these type crimes. In order to build up this file so it will serve a useful purpose, the Bureau has requested that each field office should by 11/14/58 furnish the Bureau, Attention Identification Division, Latent Fingerprint Section, information including the names and aliases, as well as descriptions and arrests or FBI numbers of individuals, in each territory who are the type who may become involved in captioned violations.

In order to comply with the Bureau's request, the agents receiving copies of this memorandum should immediately furnish to the Bureau the requested information on the "hate subjects" who are assigned to them.

105-1709 JOSEPH BEAUHARNATS)
105-3527 [REDACTED]
105-3357 (P. ALLEN MAHN)
105-1152 (EUSTACE MULLINS)
✓ 105- (MAYNARD "MAX" NELSEN)
65-582 (WILLIAM B. WERNECKE)

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TO: CHIEF CLERK

Subject

MAYNARD ORLANDO NELSEN

Aliases

MAX NELSEN MAX NELSON MAYNARD NELSON

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105-1384-22P.16		aka. Frank Nelson	
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-33 P.1			
-35 P.1			
-33 P.2			
100-11506-600P.6			
Maynard Nelson			
105-1384-6P.1			
105-1384-34P.1			
-32P.27			
-30 P.1			
105-2857-1212			
Maynard O Nelson			
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Maynard O. Nelson		born 1-1-24	
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- 3598-124			
- 3857-1A5P.6			
- 1816-1B4(35)P.2			
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May Nelson		Alias of Maynard Orlando Nelson	
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105-4630-1P.6			
105-4630-1P.6			
105-3598-3			
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May Nelson		Alias of Kenneth Sterling	
26-283-89		Dawson	
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Maynard "May" Nelson
98-1890-31 P.1
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Report Form
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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

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REPORTING OFFICE CHICAGO	OFFICE OF ORIGIN CHICAGO	DATE 12/18/58	INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD 11/10, 12-14, 16, 22, 26, 31; 12/1, 2/58
TITLE OF CASE MAYNARD ORLANDO NELSEN, wa., Max Nelsen		REPORT MADE BY WILLIAM R. CATHEY	TYPED BY lac
		CHARACTER OF CASE RACIAL MATTER	

SYNOPSIS:

NELSEN was born January 1, 1924, at Minneapolis, Minnesota, and resides at 114 Morgan Lane, Roselle, Illinois, with wife, THEODORA NELSEN, and two children. NELSEN is employed as a bookkeeper for the Miller-Carlson Services, Incorporated, 22 West Madison Street, Chicago, Illinois. NELSEN reportedly founder of Realpolitical Institute, Chicago, in 1954, and is Manager of that organization as of October, 1958. NELSEN was formerly head of the Democratic Nationalist Party. NELSEN was reportedly a member of the American Committee for Advancement of Western Culture.

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DETAILS:

The following investigation was conducted by SA
WILLIAM R. CATHEY at Chicago, Illinois:

I. BACKGROUND

Birth Data

MAYNARD ORLANDO NELSON was born January 1, 1924, at
Minneapolis, Minnesota. (T-1, early 1947)

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Residence

On November 16, 1958, it was determined, under suitable pretext, that NELSEN resides with his wife, THEODORA NELSEN, and two children at 114 Morgan Lane, Roselle, Illinois.

Former Residences

On November 10, 1958, GUS JOHNSON, Janitor, 2545 Catalpa Street, Chicago, advised SA CATHEY that NELSEN formerly resided at 2545 Catalpa Street during 1957-1958.

NELSEN resided at 1914 West School Street, Chicago, as of 1954.

(T-2, 11/14/58)

Employment

On November 13, 1958, it was determined under suitable pretext that NELSEN is employed as a bookkeeper for the Miller-Carlson Services, Incorporated, 22 West Madison Street, Chicago. NELSEN's normal working hours are 8:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M., Monday through Friday.

Former Employment

NELSEN was employed by the C. A. Ross and Company, 1315 Webster Avenue, as of 1954.

(T-2, 11/14/58)

Education

CLINTON B. HANSCOM, Director of Protection and Investigation, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, Minnesota, advised that MAYNARD ORLANDO NELSON made application at the University of Minnesota on December 2, 1941, and was attending the University of Minnesota as of early 1942. Records reflected that he graduated from Roosevelt High School at Minneapolis in January, 1942.

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Credit Record

A review of records, Chicago Credit Bureau, Incorporated, on November 12, 1958, reflected a favorable credit record on NELSEN and his wife, THEODORA NELSEN.

Arrest Record

A review of records, Chicago Police Department, Chicago, on November 14, 1958, failed to reflect any information identifiable with NELSEN.

Military Service Record

MAYNARD ORLANDO NELSON entered the United States Army on September 18, 1942, and was separated on January 14, 1946, with the rating of T5 CAC. He carried Army Serial Number 17109020.

(T-1, early 1947)

II. MEMBERSHIP AND ACTIVITIES

NELSEN's Connection with
the Realpolitical Institute

NELSEN was the founder of the Realpolitical Institute, Post Office Box 1785, Chicago, Illinois, in late 1954.

(T-2, 11/14/58)

On October 16, 1954, United States Post Office Box 1785 was issued to MAYNARD O. NELSEN of the Realpolitical Institute.

(T-3, 11/10/58)

By letter dated December 7, 1954, KURT HIRSCH, 8201½ Sunset Boulevard, Hollywood, California, furnished the Attorney General of the United States a copy of an undated leaflet, from M. NELSEN, which is quoted as follows:

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"From--- REALPOLITICAL INSTITUTE, P.O. Box 1785, Chicago 90, Illinois

"To----- All Nation-Conscious Whitemen In Our United States of America

"Re----- Internal Communist Danger and Conspiracy

"Subject - Realpolitical Theater

"THE REALPOLITICAL INSTITUTE recognizes the following:

1. that the greatest threat of ~~Communism~~ is political and educational, and is within the continental limits of our United States of America.
2. that this internal Communist danger has, through twenty-five years of treason, successfully captured much of the Democratic and Republican political organizations and leadership (either directly or indirectly) so as to neutralize our American power and prevent us from formulating an effective policy to counter external Communism and its armed might.
3. that this internal Communist conspiracy has as its final objectives the mongrelization of our American Whitefolk and the destruction of our American Nation, which is the unique creation of our own American Whitefolk.

"THE REALPOLITICAL INSTITUTE presents the following:

1. many American universities and colleges have produced confused and misguided graduates, some of whom are dedicated to the overthrow of our Republic.
2. many American universities and colleges are centers of Internationalisms, Pacifisms, and other alien doctrines devoted to the destruction of our Whiteman's way-of-life.
3. many American universities and colleges have lost contact with and have isolated themselves from the history, views, and aspirations of their Nation.

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"THE REALPOLITICAL INSTITUTE will sponsor a new, positive type of political action whereby the struggle against internal subversion is taken directly to our own Whitefolk, whose minds have been drugged by motion pictures, radio, television, and the infiltrated press. A former motion picture theatre will be purchased in the Chicago area and used as a community center where patriotic Whitemen can meet and discuss the crucial questions of the day. Vital political issues will be dramatically presented through programs by loyal American Nationalist leaders, speakers, and entertainers.

"/s/ M. NELSEN
M. Nelsen - Manager

"Whiteman Awake - The Hour Is Late"

On December 10, 1954, NELSEN appeared in the Chicago Office of the FBI and advised SA MAX G. MC DANIELS that he is the head of a vast anti-Communist underground movement throughout the United States, and displayed a copy of the above quoted leaflet. NELSEN stated he is responsible for the preparation and distribution of this leaflet.

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On April 4, 1955, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] furnished the following information:

The Realpolitical Institute was started by MAYNARD ORLANDO NELSEN in about November, 1954, in Chicago, Illinois. NELSEN's purpose was to create a new political party called the Realpolitical Institute. This organization is anti-Communist, anti-Semitic, and favors the white race. NELSEN hoped to gain a following for his party on these issues.

NELSEN, in February, 1955, visited with FREDERICK WEISS in New York, to promote his ideas and secure information from WEISS. According to [REDACTED] WEISS has in the past

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promoted neo-Nazi activities in the New York area. This organization has failed to get "off the ground", and does not attract interest or a following. There are no known members in the organization besides NELSEN. NELSEN's main activity in this organization has been the occasional circularizing of printed mimeographed sheets in the Chicago area. NELSEN's idea was to get this organization started by holding mass meetings in a theater. These meetings have failed to materialize. The only apparent money used to promote this organization is from NELSEN's own funds, and an occasional contribution that he may receive.

[redacted] on February 16, 1955, furnished the following information concerning NELSEN's plans for the Realpolitical Institute:

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NELSEN was considering the purchase of the Times Theater, 4847 Milwaukee Avenue, Chicago, Illinois, which is for sale. NELSEN estimated that \$25,000.00 would place his organization in business. Of this \$25,000.00, NELSEN planned to spend about \$15,000.00 to purchase the building and \$10,000.00 would be used for an operational fund. In this theater project, NELSEN would be the director. The organization would charge \$1.00 admission to the theater and the theater would be open about one day a week. The organization would present good speakers who would speak on Americanism. NELSEN believed that many people would pack the theater just to see the members of the Realpolitical Institute and would think of them as characters on a stage.

As a result of this action, NELSEN believed this organization would receive a great deal of negative publicity (not further described) from the Chicago newspapers. NELSEN's idea was to make Americanism nation-wide by promotion. NELSEN has tried to borrow the money for this project, without success. This organization, according to [redacted] has not participated in any parades, demonstrations or acts of violence.

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On April 15, 1955, Mr. RAYMOND MARKS, 4812 North Clark Street, Chicago, advised that no one, to his knowledge, by the name of NELSEN or any organization by the name of

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Realpolitical Institute, has made inquiry to purchase or lease the Times Theater, 4847 North Milwaukee Avenue, Chicago, which he owns. Mr. MARKS stated that he has received several telephone calls regarding this property, but when he has informed the callers the price, the callers are not interested.

By letter dated October 6, 1955, the Minneapolis Division furnished Chicago with a copy of "The Thunderbolt", a publication of the Realpolitical Institute. Minneapolis received the below quoted material from WILLIAM L. NUNN, Director, University Relations, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, Minnesota:

"THE
THUNDERBOLT
of the
Realpolitical Institute

P.O. Box 1785 - Chicago 90, Illinois

"THE REALPOLITICAL INSTITUTE

- Is a voluntary association of Whitemen for the express and declared purpose of promoting American Folk Nationalism.
- Believes in an aggressive, total political action against internal Internationalism, Pacifism, Communism and Liberalism.
- Sponsors the REALPOLITICAL THEATER for dramatically presenting vital political issues before our own Whitefolk in an entertaining manner.
- Publishes the political periodical FRONTIER, whose policies and views are founded on the self-interest of our American Folk Community.

"WHITEMAN AWAKE - THE HOUR IS LATE"

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By letter dated November 30, 1956, the Miami Division received the following quoted letters, which were directed to G. F. BAKER, Bay Point, Miami, Florida, from Chicago:

"REALPOLITICAL INSTITUTE

P.O. Box 1785 - Chicago 90, Illinois

"From: Administrative Staff
To: White American Citizens
Re: Disloyal Jewish Consensus
Subject: Civil Rights for White American Citizens

"The REALPOLITICAL INSTITUTE, a research and policy formulation group of the Democratic Nationalist Party, presents a program of Democratic Nationalism...

1. Immediate protection of the local customs, traditions, and civil liberties of the Southern states, in accordance with established and accepted patterns of racial segregation.
2. Immediate adoption of Federal segregation legislation to reduce racial tension and prevent recurrent race riots in the Northern, Eastern, and Western states --practical, far-sighted measures must be taken to restore the racial self-respect and harmony which form the basis of genuine national welfare.
3. Immediate re-establishment of segregation in the U.S. Armed Forces, to restore the troop morale and combat efficiency so vital in the face of world-wide Communist aggression.

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4. Creation of a National Repatriation Commission to encourage the voluntary emigration and resettlement of non-assimilable Whites and non-Whites through financial and economic assistance.

"The REALPOLITICAL INSTITUTE represents 130 million White American Citizens prevented from any effective choice of candidates by the disloyal Jewish Consensus".

"REALPOLITICAL INSTITUTE

P.O. Box 1785 - Chicago 90, Illinois

"Dear Sir:

"We want your support of our group because you are a member of the Whiteman's Managerial Elite which has been made politically ineffective by the disloyal Jewish Consensus. You as a manager have produced the technological advances upon which our civilization is based, but a conspiracy has prevented you from fulfilling your political destiny as a Whiteman.

"We have the answer to the Communist Manifesto. We work for an "implosion"...the internal release of the dynamic political energies of our own Whitefolk. We have our own revolutionary idea...the Whiteman's Managerial Revolution.

"This is a personal opportunity for you to do something--will you give us your anonymous support? We shall be happy to meet you personally, here in Chicago, if you so desire. Write us today -- the safety of your family and your future and perhaps your very life are at stake.

"Administrative Staff."

[redacted] advised SA [redacted] in October, 1958, that NELSEN is Manager and a member of the Administrative Staff of the Realpolitical Institute.

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By letter dated November 19, 1958, [redacted] previously mentioned, provided the Chicago Office a copy of the following letter written by MAX NELSEN, and dated October 2, 1958:

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"REALPOLITICAL INSTITUTE

P.O. Box 1785 - Chicago 90, Illinois

"Date: Oct. 2, 1958

From: Max Nelsen

To:

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Re: Letter dated Sept. 29, 1958

Subject: American Nationalism

1. Your \$5 contribution was received -- many thanks -- every penny of it is used to distribute more of our literature.
2. There is a definite reason for our antagonistic manner in written communications. Through a 10 year history in this work, we have been approached by certain 'professional' Jews who want to 'work with us' -- by 'buying their way in' they want to be in a position to make policy so as to help the professional Jewish organizations raise more money from their members through 'scare' propaganda. Are you aware of who is financing COMMON SENSE, the so-called anti-Communist newspaper from Union, N. J.? Almost every so-called 'patriotic' organization has some Jewish supporter who makes sure that there is a definite distinction made between 'good Jews' and 'bad Jews'. We keep ourselves clean by keeping ourselves clean of all Jewish influences.
3. It is not possible to intimidate us, bribe us, etc. -- we have political police records with several Federal Govt. organizations, as well as in several large cities. And of this we are extremely proud -- these facts are our 'calling cards' and recommendations.
4. For the past ten years we have concentrated on developing the IDEA of American Nationalism -- the next ten years will be devoted to 'selling' it in every possible way.

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5. By the time we reach our mid-forties, we will have absolute political power, or we will be dead.
6. If you are ever in Chicago, please write me for a personal meeting.
7. For us, ~~our~~ work is a matter of the life or death of our Folk -- it is not a hobby, or part-time occupation.

"Sincerely yours,

/s/ Max Nelsen, Mgr."

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Other Information Pertaining
to NELSEN's Activities

In February, 1953, [redacted] previously mentioned, advised SA [redacted] that, in February, 1947, NELSEN, the former head of the defunct Democratic Nationalist Party, (hereinafter mentioned), was released on parole by Minneapolis, Minnesota authorities, and furnished the following information regarding NELSEN:

In October, 1947, NELSEN was arrested for writing threatening letters and, at the time of arrest, plans for a Fascist organization (not further described) and anti-Semitic and Fascist literature from the Patriotic Research Bureau were found on his person.

According to [redacted] the Patriotic Research Bureau was organized in February, 1938, and it accumulated, compiled and published anti-Semitic and anti-Communist propaganda.

In May, 1947, MAYNARD O. NELSEN, age 23 years, University of Minnesota student, admitted he was the Minneapolis leader of the Democratic Nationalist Party. This party was described as a "hate" group which advocated persecution of racial minorities.

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The files of G-2, Chicago, were reviewed on June 30, 1955, and disclosed that NELSEN was a member of the "American Committee for the Advancement of Western Culture", an organization reported to have former top Nazis in its international leadership.

According to G-2, Chicago, NELSEN formerly resided in Minneapolis and was arrested in Minnesota in April, 1947, after he admitted placarding the University of Minnesota campus with anti-minority posters. In October, 1947, NELSEN appeared in Minneapolis attired in a Nazi uniform and carried detailed plans to "overthrow the government". These plans were not further identified. NELSEN was placed on probation following a hearing that he be placed in an institution. Judge JAMES KEHOE, when discharging NELSEN from parole, stated that NELSEN's "egocentric and inappropriate thinking has disappeared."

SA [redacted] on July 3, 1953, made available to SA [redacted] a photostatic copy of the "National Renaissance Bulletin", dated April, 1953. This bulletin, on page 1, column 1, reflected an article pertaining to the officers and purpose of the American Committee for Advancement of Western Culture. This article disclosed in part that H. KEITH THOMPSON, JR., the former registered American agent of General OTTO REMER's Socialist Reich Party of Western Germany, has announced the formation of the American Committee for Advancement of Western Culture, of which he is the National Director. Many leading Nationalist figures will constitute the Board of Directors and the Advisory Council. The purpose of this committee will be to serve as a dynamic pressure group to further all political, cultural and racial causes which tend to advance the struggle of Western civilization against the onslaught of Asiatic barbarism. The committee will not be a membership organization, but will serve as a high policy planning group for the coordination for racial, nationalistic activities in America, Europe, Africa and Asia.

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III. DESCRIPTION

The following description of MAYNARD ORLANDO NELSON was obtained in 1947:

Date of Birth	January 1, 1924
Place of Birth	Minneapolis, Minnesota
Race	White
Height	5' 7"
Weight	127 pounds
Hair	Blond
Complexion	Light
Army Serial Number	17109020
Army Service	Asiatic Theatre
Mother	Mrs. INGRID NELSON 4020 43rd Avenue South, Minneapolis, Minnesota
Former Employer	George T. Walker Company 324 5th Avenue South Minneapolis, Minnesota
Former Residence	4020 43rd Avenue South Minneapolis, Minnesota

(T-1, early 1947)

On November 13, 1958, NELSEN was personally observed by SA WILLIAM R. CATHEY. NELSEN is described as follows:

Race	White
Sex	Male
Height	5' 7"
Weight	140 pounds
Age	Middle thirties

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Hair
Build
Eyes
Complexion

Blond
Medium
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Fair

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Chicago, Illinois
December 10, 1958

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MAYNARD ORLANDO NELSEN,
With Alias, Max Nelsen
RACIAL MATTER

Reference is made to the report of Special Agent William R. Cathey, dated and captioned as above, at Chicago.

T-1 and T-3 are individuals who are in a position to know. T-2 is an agency which collects security type information in the Chicago area.

This memorandum is loaned to you by the Federal Bureau of Investigation, and neither it nor its contents are to be distributed outside the agency to which loaned.

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Special Agent William R. Cathey/lac
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December 10, 1958

DIRECTOR, FBI

SAC, CHICAGO (105-5587)

MAYNARD ORLANDO NELSEN,
wa., Max Nelsen
RACIAL MATTER
(OO: Chicago)

Enclosed herewith are five copies of the Chicago report of SA WILLIAM R. CATHEY, together with five copies of a letterhead memorandum in the above captioned matter, dated and captioned as above.

REFERENCE

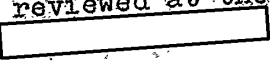
Bureau airtel dated October 22, 1958, entitled "BOMBING CASES HAVING APPARENT RACIAL OR RELIGIOUS BASIS."

ADMINISTRATIVE

This investigation was instituted by Chicago subsequent to Chicago's submission to the Bureau of logical suspects in any bombings or attempted bombings in the Chicago area.

The suitable pretext utilized to determine NELSEN's residence and employment was SA WILLIAM R. CATHEY contacting NELSEN's place of employment relative to a credit inquiry.

Records of the Chicago Credit Bureau, Incorporated, and the Chicago Police Department were reviewed at the request of Investigative Clerk

 NELSEN was personally observed by SA CATHEY during suitable pretext previously mentioned and a description was obtained.

An FD 9 was submitted to the Bureau on November 13, 1958.

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For the information of the Bureau, it is pointed out that, in certain instances, Chicago files fail to reflect to whom information is furnished; date furnished and/or the period to which instant information pertains. These omissions are apparent in certain parts of the enclosed report. However, as this information is positive in nature, it is being included in the investigative report.

This report is being classified Confidential since data reported from T-2 could reasonably result in identification of a confidential informant of continuing value and compromise effectiveness thereof.

Careful consideration has been given to each source concealed and T symbols were utilized only in those instances where the identities of the sources must be concealed.

INFORMANTS

Identity of Source	Date of Activity and/or Description of Information	File Number Where Located
T-1 [Redacted] Selective Service Local Board Number 20, Hennepin County, Minnesota (Due to position)	Background - Birth Data Background - Military Record Background - Description	105-1384-32 P.2 " " "
T-2 Security Unit, Chicago Police Department Chicago, Illinois	Background - Former Employment Late 1954	105-5587-1A1 105-5587-1A1
T-3 [Redacted] Postal Inspector's Office, United States Post Office, Canal and Van Buren, Chicago, Illinois (Per request)		105-5587-3

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AT CHICAGO, ILLINOIS

Will obtain license number and description of auto belonging to NELSEN.

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Will obtain reliable neighborhood and employment source on NELSEN.

Will obtain suitable photo of NELSEN.

Will report results of FD 9 recently submitted to the Bureau.

Will follow and report on NELSEN's activities.

Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC, Chicago (105-5587)

DATE: December 18, 1958

✓ FROM : Director, FBI (100-351528)

SUBJECT: MAYNARD ORLANDO NELSEN, WA.
RACIAL MATTERS

Re report of Special Agent William R.
Cathey, 12-10-58, which was classified "Confidential."

You are reminded that the designation
"Confidential" may be used only to protect
information relating to the national defense. It
cannot be used for the sole purpose of protecting
an informant unless the information being reported
relates to the national defense. The "Confidential"
classification should be deleted from all copies of
referenced report.

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TO : SAC, CHICAGO (105-5587)

FROM : SA WILLIAM R. CATHEY

SUBJECT: MAYNARD ORLANDO NELSEN, Aka.
RACIAL MATTER

DATE: 12/30/58

On 12/16/58, GWEN CURRIE, Receptionist, Miller-Carlson, Inc., 22 West Madison Street, Chicago, Illinois, advised SAs WILLIAM R. CATHEY and H. SIDNEY NEEL that she resides at 626 North Lorel Street, Chicago, Illinois, and her home telephone number is EStebrook 8-2197.

CURRIE stated she has been employed by the Miller-Carlson Co. for the past year and four months. At this point the interviewing agents thoroughly explained to CURRIE the extremely confidential nature of our inquiry and she responded by stating that she will respect the confidence of the FBI in this matter.

When asked about MAX NELSEN, CURRIE stated that he is employed as a Bookkeeper for Miller-Carlson, which office is located on the 6th floor of 22 West Madison Street, Chicago. She stated that NELSEN has been so employed for over one year and four months. She stated that NELSEN arrives at work at a time prior to 8:25 a.m. and departs from work at a time prior to 5:00 p.m. (the latter of which is usually around 4:40 p.m.). She said that NELSEN works five days per week, Monday through Friday, and, due to the nature of his job, has liberal ingress and egress privileges. CURRIE said that she is not thoroughly familiar with the exact nature of NELSEN's duties, however, she knows that he must report to the United States Post Office each day to have the Postal Stamp Meter receipts checked.

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CURRIE stated that to the best of her knowledge NELSEN has not taken a vacation from Miller-Carlson since she has been employed with that firm with the exception of one day during early November, for the purpose of moving from Catalpa Street, Chicago, Illinois, to a new residence at Roselle, Illinois.

CURRIE continued that NELSEN has two very close associates who either visit him at Miller-Carlson each and every day or call him at Miller-Carlson several times each day. She stated that these persons are described as follows:

Subject Number 1:

(FNU) ANDERSON, described as white male, 35 years of age; 5'10" - 5'11" in height; curly blond hair; light complexion; 165 pounds; medium build; blue eyes; neat appearance; single; talks with an effected effeminate air and in her opinion is [REDACTED] CURRIE stated that this opinion is based entirely upon her own observations of this person.

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Subject Number 2:

(FNU) MULLENS, described as white male, 35 years of age; 6'2" in height; 200 pounds; heavy build; scraggly dark brown hair; wears a hat; medium complexion; horn rim glasses; brown eyes; also has an effected effeminate manner. In regard to MULLENS, CURRIE stated he is sloppy in his personal appearance.

CURRIE said that NELSEN had told her he had travelled with two friends and their children to Green Bay, Wisconsin, and spent the day of Thanksgiving, during November, 1958. CURRIE stated she has never heard of the Realpolitical Institute and she has never heard of a publication called "The Thunderbolt".

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CURRIE stated that to the best of her knowledge NELSEN has never agitated or discussed race relations and she considers him to be a "queer duck". CURRIE said that this assumption on her part is based on his associations with MULLENS and ANDERSON.

CURRIE continued by saying that NELSEN resides with his wife and one child at Roselle, Illinois, and his wife is expecting the birth of another child during the week of December 22, 1958.

CURRIE said she is not aware of NELSEN's mode of conveyance to and from work or whether he has a car located at his home. She said NELSEN's wife is a German National, however, she does not know whether his wife has applied for or obtained United States citizenship.

CURRIE stated that if she learns of any information concerning the Realpolitical Institute or any racial matters relating to NELSEN or should NELSEN plan or make a trip out of town she will immediately notify the Chicago Office of the FBI.

On departing, CURRIE was again reminded of the extremely sensitive and confidential nature of her relationships with the Bureau and she stated she will not violate any trust placed in her by the FBI.

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Reporting Office CHICAGO	Office of Origin CHICAGO	Date 12/28/59	Investigative Period 12/11/59 - 1/15/59
TITLE OF CASE MAYNARD ORLANDO NELSEN, Aka		Report made by SA WILLIAM R. CATHEY	Typed By: rg
		CHARACTER OF CASE RACIAL MATTER	

Synopsis:

REFERENCES: Chicago report of SA WILLIAM R. CATHEY dated 12/10/58, and cover letter pertaining thereto.
Bureau letter dated 12/18/58.

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AT CHICAGO, ILLINOIS

Will continue to follow and report on subject's activities.

Approved <i>[Signature]</i>	Special Agent In Charge	Do not write in spaces below	
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ADMINISTRATIVE

A suitable photograph of NELSEN is available.

This case is being placed in pending inactive status in view of the fact instructions set forth in Bureau airtel dated October 22, 1958, entitled "BOMBING CASES HAVING APPARENT RACIAL OR RELIGIOUS BASIS", have been complied with.

A review of automotive license registration data regarding 1959 Illinois License Number 418075 was not made due to the fact this data has not been compiled to date.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
Federal Bureau of Investigation

Copy to:

Report of: SA WILLIAM R. CATHEY

Office: Chicago

Date: 1/28/59

File Number: CG 105-5587 BU 100-351528

Title: MAYNARD ORLANDO NELSEN,
AKA., Max Nelsen

Character: RACIAL MATTER

Synopsis: NELSEN resides at 114 Morgan Lane, Roselle, Illinois, and is employed as a bookkeeper for Miller-Carlson Services, Incorporated, 22 West Madison Street, Chicago. NELSEN's hours of employment at Miller-Carlson are from a short time prior to 8:25 a.m. until a short time prior to 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday. NELSEN reportedly owns and drives a 1953 Grey 4-door Ford Mainliner Sedan, bearing 1959 Illinois License Number 418075. An identification record is set forth. A photograph of NELSEN has been identified as a suitable likeness. NELSEN reportedly organized M&N Associates, Chicago, with EUSTACE MULLINS. MULLINS and PAUL GEORGE ANDERSON identified as associates of NELSEN.

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DETAILS: AT CHICAGO, ILLINOIS

The following investigation was conducted by SA WILLIAM R. CATHEY at Chicago and Roselle, Illinois:

I. BACKGROUND

Residence

On January 14, 1959, MARION A. VICTOR, 110 Morgan Lane, Roselle, Illinois, advised SA WILLIAM R. CATHEY that NELSEN currently resides at 114 Morgan Lane, Roselle. VICTOR stated that NELSEN moved to his current address during the last week of October, 1958. VICTOR said, to the best of his knowledge, NELSEN has taken no trips out of town subsequent to his moving to Roselle. VICTOR identified a 1953 Grey 4-door Ford Mainliner Sedan, bearing 1959 Illinois License Number 418075, as an auto which is owned and driven by NELSEN.

VICTOR stated he is aware of nothing of a derogatory nature concerning NELSEN and should he learn of proposed or actual trips by NELSEN he will contact the Chicago Office of the FBI.

VICTOR said he will maintain the contact in strict confidence.

Employment

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On departing, CURRIE was again reminded of the extremely sensitive and confidential nature of her relationships with the Bureau and she stated she will not violate any trust placed in her by the FBI.

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On January 14, 1959, GWEN CURRIE was shown a number of photographs by SA CATHEY. CURRIE identified a photograph of PAUL GEORGE ANDERSON as being identical with Subject Number 1, above, and a photograph of EUSTACE MULLINS as being identical with Subject Number 2, above. Further, CURRIE identified a photograph of NELSEN as being a suitable likeness of MAYNARD NELSEN.

In regard to PAUL GEORGE ANDERSON, it is noted that [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] advised SA WILLIAM R. CATHEY on January 15, 1959, that PAUL GEORGE ANDERSON is an individual who has been active for the past five years in disseminating anti-Semitic and anti-Negro literature in the Chicago area.

In regard to EUSTACE MULLINS, attention is directed to Section II of this report wherein MULLINS is characterized.

Identification Record

By letter dated November 21, 1958, the Identification Division of the Bureau furnished the following identification record on MAYNARD ORLANDO NELSEN under FBI Number 4970277:

Contributor of Fingerprints	Name and Number	Arrested or Received	Charge	Disposition
PD, Mpls., Minn.	MAYNARD ORLANDO NELSON, #38062	4/24/47	threaten to do bodily harm	5/16/47, \$1000.00 Peace Bond filed.
SO, Mpls., Minn.	MAYNARD ORLANDO NELSEN #5303	10/22/47	Inv.	11/6/47, rel to Vet Hosp
Army	MAYNARD ORLANDO NELSEN #17109020	9/18/42 Ft. Snelling, Minn.		

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II. MEMBERSHIP AND ACTIVITIES

NELSEN's Connections With
The M&N Associates (M&NA)

[redacted] advised SA [redacted] on November 13, 1958, that the M&N Associates, Post Office Box 1785, Chicago 90, Illinois, is a paper organization set up by EUSTACE MULLINS and MAYNARD O. NELSEN. According to [redacted] this organization distributes anti-Semitic and anti-Negro type literature.

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III. DESCRIPTION

By letter dated November 21, 1958, the Identification Division of the Bureau reflects the following FBI Number assigned to the Identification record of NELSEN: FBI # 4970277.

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SA JOHN W. TORDT

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In connection with investigation of captioned case, contact was had on December 10, 1958, with Mr. P. GRANSBORG, Reservations Manager, Delta C & S Airlines, 67 East Monroe Street, Chicago. Mr. GRANSBORG stated that no record of the individuals for whom copies of this memorandum have been designated is contained in any Delta records concerning Chicago to Atlanta and Chicago to Knoxville flights during the October 11-12, 1958, weekend.

On December 4, 1958, contact was had with ALEX ZIMMERMAN, Office of Building Commission, City of Chicago, 320 North Clark Street, in regard to an arrest for a building violation on the part of WILLIAM WERNECKE. ZIMMERMAN furnished a transcript of a title search on property located at 6259 North Wayne Avenue. This transcript is retained as 65-582-1A.

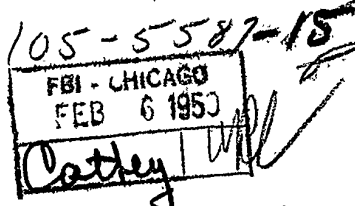
ZIMMERMAN stated that one MELVIN KAHN had recently been named by Superior Court as receiver for buildings owned by WERNECKE.

Of possible interest to the Agent to whom the WERNECKE case is assigned, it was noted that ZIMMERMAN was in possession of a voluminous file concerning WERNECKE.

- 1 - 105-3527 [REDACTED]
- 1 - 105-1152 (EUSTACE HULLINS)
- 1 - 105-3357 (FORREST MANN)
- ① - 105-5587 (MAYNARD NELSEN)
- 1 - 105-1017 (JOSEPH BEAUHARNAIS)
- 1 - 65-582 (WILLIAM WERNECKE)

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① - 1 rec'd 2/16/59 re status.
B. adv. rpt sent 1/28/59.
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DIRECTOR, FBI (100-351528)

April 29, 1959

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MAYNARD ORLANDO NELSEN
Aka., Max Nelson
RACIAL MATTER
OO: CHICAGO

Reference is made to Chicago report of SA WILLIAM R. CATHEY, dated 1/28/59.

On April 24, 1959, MARION A. VICTOR, 110 Morgan Lane, Roselle, Illinois, advised SA CATHEY that NELSEN continues to reside at 114 Morgan Lane, Roselle. According to VICTOR, NELSEN continues to own and drive the 1953 Ford previously reported.

On April 24, 1959, GWEN CURRIE, Receptionist, Miller-Carlson Services, Incorporated, 22 West Monroe Street, Chicago, Illinois, advised SA WILLIAM R. CATHEY that Miller-Carlson has recently moved from the 6th floor at 22 West Madison to the 5th floor at 22 West Monroe. CURRIE stated that NELSEN continues employment at Miller-Carlson as a bookkeeper and his hours of employment remain the same.

A review of Chicago files fails to reflect any information relating to NELSEN's activities subsequent to the referenced Chicago report.

In view of the foregoing, this case is being closed subject to being reopened each six months for verification purposes.

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OFFICE MEMORANDUM

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO: SAC, CHICAGO (157-2)

DATE: 7-6-59

FROM: SA JOHN W. TOEDT

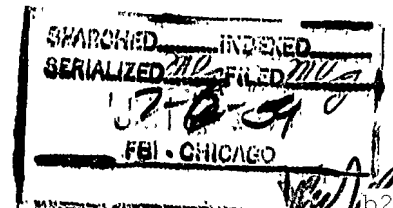
SUBJECT: BOMBINGS AND ATTEMPTED BOMBINGS
RACIAL MATTERS

On May 25, 1959, PCI [REDACTED]
who has furnished reliable information in the past,
and whose identity is to be protected, furnished to

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- 2 - Bureau (RM) (Encl. 1)
- 9 - Atlanta (RM) (Encl. 1)
 - 1 - Ku Klux Klan
 - 1 - [REDACTED]
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 - 1 - [REDACTED]
 - 1 - [REDACTED]
 - 1 - [REDACTED]
 - 1 - [REDACTED]
 - 1 - [REDACTED]
 - 1 - National Anti-Communist Legioners
 - 1 - [REDACTED]
- 2 - Miami (RM)
 - 1 - [REDACTED]
 - 1 - Ku Klux Klan
- 2 - Cincinnati (RM)
 - 1 - [REDACTED]
 - 1 - Ku Klux Klan
- 7 - Chicago
 - 1 - [REDACTED]
 - 1 - 65-582 (WILLIAM B. WERNECKE)
 - 1 - 105-1709 (JOSEPH BEAUHARNAIS)
 - 1 - 105-3802 (F. ALLEN MANN)
 - 1 - 105-5587 (MAX NELSEN)
 - 1 - National Anti-Communist Legioners

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SAs ROBERT J. DOLAN and JOHN W. TOEDT from the effects of "Hate" subject WILLIAM B. WERNECKE, 6250 North Wayne Avenue, Chicago, Illinois, an original typewritten letter which was addressed to WERNECKE at Route 1, Huntley, Illinois, under postmark of Valdosta, Georgia, February 13, 1959. This letter, which bore a return address of CHARLES KELLY, Route 3, Valdosta, Georgia, and which was signed in pencil by CHARLES KELLY, is quoted as follows:

"Dear Bill,

"Feb. 12, 1959

"I am engaged in one of, the toughest fights ive ever been in.

"I have been exposing the Jewish dominated U. S. Klans with headquarters in Atlanta Ga.

"This fight has been going on ever since the early part of October of last year.

"I visited Peter L. Xavier in Dayton Ohio the last week of September for a weeks vacation. Pete is my able assistant in the battle.

"The real head of this Klan is C. H. Klein a jew living in Atlanta Ga. The acting head is E. L. Edwards a spray painter at one of the Automobile Plants in Atlanta.

"Did you ever have the priveledge of meeting Bill Hendrix?

"Bill has sent me much valuable information proving that Klein is head of organization.

"Information is pouring daily from all parts of the South, all in our favour.

"Alert all Patriots in Chicago area of this sinister jew plot. I cannot begin to tell you here of devilish tricks they have pulled in the past. Within six months time two F. B. I. spies were in the outfit. One was in a Klavern in Lakeland Fla, the other in Atlanta.

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"E. L. Rogers the one who testified against those boys in Atlanta was the other.

"They tried their damnest to get those Boys sent up the River.

"Show Beauharnais this letter next time you, see him.

"Tell Allen Mann out at Hinsdale all about This, Max Nelsen an all others.

"As this case progresses i will mail you further information.

"I can,t tell at present which side Parson Jack Johnson is on.

"All other patriots in Southh have alined with us.

"I am mailing to you some applications to the new organization that i am organizing for. Show them to your friends.

"I have already established the hard core here. We are organizing all over the south now.

"In the last battle for the White Race.

/s/ Charles Kelly"

Enclosed with above letter were several blank membership application cards for the "National Anti-Communist Legioners," which call for the applicant to pledge his life and property against "all forms of socialism and Communism," and to "promise to uphold the traditions of States Rights, National traditions, especially SEGREGATION OF THE RACES, the RIGHT TO WORK LAWS." These cards reflect EDWARD G. BALL to be "Commanding General," and CHARLES KELLY to be "General Agent," Valdosta, Georgia, and call for a donation of \$5 per year.

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One copy each of the above cards is submitted herewith for information to the Bureau and Atlanta.

WERNECKE, as well as JOSEPH BEAUHARNAIS, F. ALLEN MANN, and MAX MAYNARD NELSEN, referred to in above letter, are "Hate" subjects of the Chicago Division.

The above material is retained in Chicago file 65-582-1A22.

DIRECTOR, FBI (100-351528)

8/3/59

SAC, CHICAGO (105-5587)

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MAYNARD ORLANDO NELSEN,
aka.
RACIAL MATTER
OO: Chicago

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Reference Chicago letter dated 4/29/59.

On August 2, 1959, MARION A. VICTOR, 110 Morgan Lane, Roselle, Illinois, advised SA WILLIAM R. CATHEY that NELSEN continues to reside at 114 Morgan Lane, Roselle.

On August 3, 1959, it was determined under suitable pretext that NELSEN continues employment as a bookkeeper for Miller-Carlson Services, Incorporated, 22 West Monroe Street, Chicago, Illinois.

The suitable pretext referred to above was SA CATHEY telephonically contacting NELSEN under the guise of a credit inquiry.

A review of Chicago files fails to reflect any additional information relating to NELSEN's activities.

Instant case is being closed subject to being reopened in six months, for verification purposes.

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OFFICE MEMORANDUM * * * UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC (157-2)

DATE: *10-12-59*

FROM : SA JULIAN R. WALTERS

SUBJECT: KLAN ORGANIZATIONS, HATE
ORGANIZATIONS AND RACIAL
INFORMANTS
RACIAL MATTERS; BOMBING MATTERS

ReBulet to Chicago dated 8/21/59 and Chicago
letter to Bureau dated 9/3/59.

The Bureau by referenced letter dated August 21,
1959, instructed that certain individuals have been desi-
gnated by the Chicago Division erroneously as "racial
extremists". They advised that such designation should be
discontinued and that henceforth all subjects in this classi-
fication will be identified as potential bombing suspects.

The following therefore are individuals within
this Division so classified, current as of the date of this
memorandum:

POTENTIAL BOMBING SUSPECTS

JOSEPH BEAUHARNIS

[Redacted]

FORREST ALLEN MANN, Jr.

- 1709*
- 1 - 105-1017 (JOSEPH BEAUHARNIS)
 - 1 - 105-3527 [Redacted]
 - 1 - 157-6 [Redacted]
 - 1 - 157-13 [Redacted]
 - 1 - 157-7 [Redacted]
 - 1 - 105-3802 (FORREST ALLEN MANN, Jr.)
 - 1 - 105-1152 (EUSTACE C. MULLINS)
 - 1 - 105-5587 (WAYNARD ORLANDO NELSON)
 - 1 - 158-8 [Redacted]
 - 1 - 157-5 [Redacted]
 - 1 - 157-4 [Redacted]
 - 1 - 157-9 [Redacted]
 - 1 - 100-32142 [Redacted]
 - 1 - 65-582 (WILLIAM BERNARD WERNECKE)

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EUSTACE C. MULLINS
MAYNARD ORLANDO NELSON



WILLIAM BERNARD WERNECKE

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It is noted that DAVID LEONARD SQUIRES, previously identified as a bombing suspect within the Chicago Division, has been deleted from this category in that he, on June 16, 1959, was committed to the South Carolina State Penitentiary for a period of 21 years for armed robbery. The Bureau has been advised of this deletion.

In accordance with existing Bureau instructions, Manual of Instructions, Section 23(D), it is necessary that verification of each of above subjects' residence, employment and description of auto should be made each six months; however, it is not necessary that the individual case be maintained in a pending status.

It is requested that a tickler be set based on the date of last verification and that a copy of results of each succeeding verification be designated for Chicago file 157-2 (Control File).

The Manual of Instructions reference, previously mentioned, also instructs that in addition to subject's background, information should be developed to show hours of employment, description of automobile and license number, photograph, handwriting specimen, identification record and whereabouts as of the times of pertinent bombings in the past. In addition, a reliable neighborhood source should be developed and an alternate Agent should be designated to assume responsibility for the suspect in the absence of the assigned Agent. If it is indicated that the suspect may personally handle explosives, the Latent Fingerprint Section should be requested to include him in the Single Fingerprint Explosives File.

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Complete information from Chicago files is to be furnished the Bureau to include the names and aliases as well as descriptions and arrest or FBI numbers of suspects.

It is requested that files concerning each of the above identified individuals be reviewed to ascertain if all instructions relative to potential bombing suspects have been complied with.

Should information become available indicating the subject should be deleted as a potential bombing suspect, the Bureau should be immediately notified.

Upon completion of review of these files it is requested that all information as required by Bureau instructions regarding these matters be recorded in subject's file by memorandum setting forth, among other required data, the name of the Agent to whom responsibility for the subject is assigned as well as the name of the alternate Agent. A copy of this memorandum should be directed to 157-2.

Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

DATE: November 18, 1959

TO : SAC, CHICAGO (105-5587)

FROM : SA WILLIAM R. CATHEY

SUBJECT:

MAYNARD ORLANDO NELSEN, Aka.
POTENTIAL BOMBING SUSPECTALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED

DATE 04-15-2010 BY 60322/UC/LRP/STP/ETC

SUBJECT CONSIDERED PSYCHOTIC, ARMED AND DANGEROUS.
Reference is made to memo of SA JULIAN R. WALTERS dated October 12, 1959, entitled "Klan Organizations, Hate Organizations, and Racial Informants, Racial Matters; Bombing Matters."

Referenced memorandum directed that character of captioned case be changed to "Potential Bombing Suspect." It is noted that instant character was "Racial Matter," prior to change.

On November 10, 1959, Mrs. MARION A. VICTOR, 110 Morgan Lane, Roselle, Illinois, advised SA WILLIAM R. CATHEY that NELSEN continues to reside at 114 Morgan Lane, Roselle, Illinois. Mrs. VICTOR stated that NELSEN continues to own and drive a 1953 grey four door Ford Mainliner sedan bearing 1959 Illinois license number 418075. Mrs. VICTOR said, to the best of her knowledge, NELSEN has not been "out of town" for any unusual periods of time.

Further, Mrs. VICTOR said, to her knowledge, NELSEN has no knowledge or experience in handling of explosives. Mrs. VICTOR said she will maintain contact with the Chicago Office of the FBI regarding NELSEN's activities.

A review of 1959 Illinois license registrations on November 10, 1959, by SA WILLIAM R. CATHEY reflected that 1959 Illinois license number 418075 is issued to "M. NELSEN, 114 Morgan Lane, Roselle, Illinois."

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On November 6, 1959, [redacted] advised SA CATHEY that [redacted] stated that NELSEN is employed as a bookkeeper for Miller - Carlson, Incorporated, 22 West Monroe Street, Chicago.

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[] said NELSEN is employed from 8 to 5 pm, Monday through Friday; however often leaves the office several times a day for business purposes. He said that NELSEN has often expressed himself to be a "racist", to the point of being psychotic.

[] advised that when NELSEN "takes off" on his anti-Jewish and anti-Negro tirades, he becomes pale white, highly excitable, nervous, shakes and shows evidence of uncontrollable facial contortions.

[] said he has seen a .357 loaded Magnum revolver and a five inch dagger in NELSEN's possession and learned from conversations with NELSEN, that he carries these weapons in his brief case at all times.

[] said, to the best of his knowledge, NELSEN has "taken no unusual trips out of town" in the past two years other than commuting to Roselle, Illinois, and a few week-end outings. He said he has no knowledge of dates of these "outings" or places involved.

Further, [] said he does not know NELSEN to ever have any knowledge, interest, or experience in handling of explosives.

[] advised he will notify the Chicago office of the FBI should NELSEN change employment or take any trip out of town.

[] said he is aware of only one auto, which is owned and operated by NELSEN; that being a 1953 grey Ford sedan.

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A review of subject's file reflects the following:

- (1) Hours of employment;
- (2) Current auto description and license number;
- (3) Suitable photograph;
- (4) Handwriting specimen;
- (5) Identification record;
- (6) No unusual trips within last 2 years
- (7) Current physical description;
- (8) Current verification of residence and employment.

It is noted that SA WILLIAM R. CATHEY is the agent to whom case is assigned and SA [] is designated as alternate agent.

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In view of the foregoing it is recommended that this case be closed subject to being reopened in six months for verification purposes and appropriate tickler be made.

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TO :SAC, CHICAGO (105-5587)

DATE: December 17, 1959

FROM [REDACTED] CORRELATION CLERK

SUBJECT: MAYNARD ORLANDO NELSEN aka
Max Nelsen
RACIAL MATTERS

It should be noted that this memo contains all identical security references. No identical criminal references could be located.

I. MISCELLANEOUS

It should also be noted that 105-2437-111 is the correlation memo of Lorraine Bielat dated 6/24/58 regarding MAYNARD ORLANDO NELSEN.

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Report of SA [REDACTED] at St. Paul, Minnesota dated 3/25/47 entitled "Democratic Nationalist Party, Minnesota District Minneapolis-St. Paul Group" sets forth information concerning MAYNARD O. NELSEN, 4020 43rd Avenue South.

A check of the indices of the St. Paul Field Division reflected no information concerning NELSEN nor was he listed as attending the University of Minnesota. However, in the Minneapolis City Directory it is reflected that MAYNARD O. NELSEN was in the U. S. Army in 1946. It was ascertained at Local Board 20, Minneapolis that MAYNARD O. NELSEN was registered at that board and had Army serial #17109020.

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Report of SA [REDACTED] dated 5/3/47 at St. Paul, Minnesota entitled "Democratic Nationalist Party, Minnesota District, Minneapolis-St. Paul" reflects that MAYNARD ORLANDO NELSEN was arrested on Minnesota state warrant April 23, 1947. He admitted sending letters to General EISENHOWER, General MARSHALL, President TRUMAN, J. EDGAR HOOVER, Representative RANKIN, Senator BILBO, and others on Democratic Nationalist Party stationery.

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Also admitted placing posters of anti-Jewish and anti-Negro nature around the University of Minnesota and throughout Minneapolis. Sentenced to serve six months by Judge ROLF FOSSEEN, Minneapolis Municipal Court, when he could not make \$1,000 peace bond.

Furnished a signed statement at Minneapolis, Minnesota dated April 24, 1947, to Mr. CLINTON B. HANSCOM, Director of the Department of Protection and Investigation, University of Minnesota.

105-1384-34 p.1

Report of SA [redacted] at St. Paul, Minnesota, dated 6/11/47 entitled "Democratic Nationalist Party, Minnesota District Minneapolis-St. Paul" reflected that a news item appearing in the "Minneapolis Star Journal" on May 10, 1947 advised that psychiatric tests of MAYNARD NELSEN had been completed at General Hospital in Minneapolis on that date.

Judge ROLF FOSSEEN, Municipal Court, Minneapolis, advised that on May 15, 1947 he reduced NELSEN's bond to \$10,000 which was to apply for a period of six months and on that date NELSEN made this cash bond.

Mr. CLINTON B. HANSCOM, Director of Protection and Investigation, University of Minnesota, advised that he had checked the complete list of NELSEN's acquaintances and it was his personal belief that NELSEN was the only one active in promoting the Democratic Nationalist Party. He stated that in a discussion with NELSEN's acquaintances these persons all stated that NELSEN was not a friendly person and that they believed he had no close friends or accomplices.

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Minneapolis letter to Chicago dated 6/25/53 entitled "Democratic Nationalist Party Minnesota District Minneapolis, Minnesota" sets forth information regarding MAYNARD ORLANDO NELSEN.

The Minneapolis Sunday Tribune of October 29, 1947 carried an article which reported that NELSEN was arrested by the Minneapolis Police Department on October 18, 1947, upon his return to Minneapolis from California, because he had written a letter threatening Detective Inspector EUGENE BERNATH; SAMUEL L. SCHEINER, executive

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secretary of the Minnesota Jewish Council; and others. At the time of his arrest NELSEN was under a \$1,000 peace bond which was to expire on October 24, 1947.

By letter dated October 21, 1947, San Francisco Office advised that Captain WALTER LEE, University of California Police Department, Berkeley, California, furnished San Francisco a "Notice of Withdrawal with Petition for Honorable Dismissal or Leave of Absence" executed by NELSEN on October 15, 1947. The notice filled out by NELSEN stated as his reason for withdrawing, "Taking active part in Nationalist Liberation Movement-objective: the total annihilation of Jewish Communism from our Nation and the World." According to University records NELSEN was in California from May 19, 1947, resided at 2423 Haste Street, Berkeley, California and applied for admission to the University of California on June 18, 1947, being admitted to the undergraduate college of Letters and Sciences in September, 1947. This material in San Francisco file 105-446.

The Minneapolis Star of January 6, 1948, carried an article which reflected that NELSEN was described as "potentially dangerous" at a sanity hearing held January 6, 1948, before Mrs. BETTY W. WASHBURN, Hennepin County Court Commissioner. Making this statement was Dr. ANDREW LEEMHUIS of the Veterans Hospital, Minneapolis, Minnesota, one of 11 physicians, psychiatrists, and psychologists testifying.

The Minneapolis Star of February 4, 1948 carried an article that Probate Judge JAMES KEHOE revealed the contents of a letter sent him by Dr. ROGER HOWLL, chief of psychiatry at the veterans hospital, and H. B. LINDHOLM, regional chief VA attorney, to the effect that the subject had changed and "As long as this change remains it does not seem probable that he would be a source of trouble to himself or to other people." Judge KEHOE placed NELSEN on a one year probation.

On March 2, 1948, NELSEN appeared at FBI Headquarters, St. Paul, Minnesota, and was interviewed by SAs MARTIN J. LUKOSKIE and [REDACTED]. He stated that the purpose of his visit was to determine the FBI's interest

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in him. He stated that at that time he was attending the St. Cloud Teachers College planning to graduate within one year with a degree in Mathematics. NELSEN, who was still on probation indicated that he was as violently anti-Semitic as ever, and felt that the "Jews and Communists are really one and the same group," and planned to take over the United States and the world.

[redacted] advised SA MARTIN J. LUKOSIE on May 24, 1949, that during the summer of 1948 he was contacted by NELSEN who attempted to recruit the informant into the Democratic Nationalist Party. NELSEN, using the alias of GEORGE GRANT, furnished the informant with considerable literature reflecting the hatred of NELSEN and the DNP for Jews and Communists. Informant continued his contacts with NELSEN during the winter of 1948 and 1949, and was at one time told by NELSEN that he could contact one of the following individuals for information regarding the DNP: EMORY BURKE, 1486 Marbut Avenue Southeast, Atlanta, Ga.; JOSEPH MC WILLIAM, Allerton Hotel, Chicago, Illinois; and ADRIEN ARCAND, National Unity Party, Lanoraie, Quebec, Canada.

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On September 21, 1949, NELSEN was again interviewed by SAS [redacted] and GLEN R. DORNFELD at the Minneapolis School of Business, 48 South 10th Street, Minneapolis, Minnesota. At this time the subject advised that he had not been active in dissemination of any anti-Semitic literature, nor had he been active in formulating any group of a nature similar to the DNP.

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On August 11, 1950, a typewritten letter signed by NELSEN was received by the Minneapolis Office. This letter reflected that NELSEN resided at 4020 43rd Avenue South, Minneapolis, Minnesota, and that on that date he had graduated from the Minneapolis Business College, 10th and Nicollet Avenue, Minneapolis, Minnesota. The letter further set out NELSEN's political views by enumerating the following four freedoms:

- a. Freedom from Jews (commonly called kikes)
- b. Freedom from Negroes (commonly called niggers)
- c. Freedom from Asiatics (commonly called aliens)
- d. Freedom from Communists (commonly called Reds)

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Bureau letter to St. Paul dated 9/14/49 entitled "Democratic Nationalist Party" reflects that MAYNARD ORLANDO NELSEN appeared to be the sole organizer and instigator of the Democratic Nationalist Party. This organization operated in Minneapolis, Minnesota, and distributed anti-Semitic and anti-Negro material. It had connections with other organizations of the same type but these connections appeared to be mainly through correspondence. In February, 1949, NELSEN advised a confidential informant of the Bureau that a big meeting of all prominent Nationalists in the United States would take place up north in the not too distant future.

NELSEN was arrested on April 23, 1947 for disturbing the peace in that he threatened a professor of the University of Minnesota by placing a threatening poster on the door of the University Building. He was sentenced to serve six months for this offense.

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[REDACTED] whose identity is known to the Bureau, of known reliability, stated that on Tuesday, January 24, 1950, MAYNARD NELSEN, of Minneapolis, Minnesota, had stated that he, NELSEN, had received several letters from EMORY BURKE, at Montgomery, Ala. and that all of these letters were long, one of them at least twenty-five pages in length.

NELSEN, according to the informant, stated that he had returned them to BURKE as soon as he had read them inasmuch as it could cause BURKE trouble if the "heat" of BURKE's statements were known at this time. NELSEN further stated at this meeting according to the informant, that BURKE had just returned from Atlanta, Georgia to Montgomery, Alabama and that BURKE had given up hope that his appeal to the Supreme Court would be allowed and was preparing to enter the Georgia State Prison.

NELSEN further stated, according to informant, that he, NELSEN, intended to come to Georgia in August, 1950, and visit with BURKE in prison and that he intended to keep in touch with BURKE by letter until that time. Informant stated NELSEN said that in August he would quit school in Minneapolis and come to Georgia and get a place of residence and job at the nearest location to the prison wherein BURKE was to be incarcerated.

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According to informant, NELSEN further advised that BURKE was much impressed by the name, Democratic Nationalist Party", and had designated NELSEN as a "faith leader" not a "politician" and had put NELSEN in contact with several persons in their late teens in Atlanta. Informant stated that NELSEN interpreted BURKE's letter to mean that NELSEN was to begin training the corps of leaders, which would be led by BURKE upon his release from jail and that, NELSEN, was staking his entire fate with BURKE, who according to NELSEN was "the closest thing to the leader yet."

Informant stated NELSEN said he was busy designing a new uniform, which would consist of black boots, grey pants, grey shirts, black Sam Brown belts, and black ties and that he anticipated, because of the grey color which is for the Confederacy, that the young men in the South would go "wild" when they got into the uniform. NELSEN, according to the informant, also stated at this meeting that he was determined to march side and side with BURKE and that, in NELSEN's opinion, all of them would probably be thrown into prison more than once.

The informant further advised that NELSEN stated he attended a meeting of the GERALD L. K. SMITH convention in St. Louis, Missouri in September, 1949, and at this meeting a great antipathy was aroused by BURKE for LOHBECK, SMITH's First Lieutenant. NELSEN, according to the informant, stated that this new groups plans to begin in the South and that the place to hit was the lower middle class and further advised that of course nothing could be done concerning this until he came South during the latter two weeks in August, 1950, to see BURKE in jail.

Informant advised that NELSEN stated that on the night of January 22, 1950, about 10 P.M., when he arrived home, an individual by the name of VAN ETTEN, reportedly a student from International Falls at the Minneapolis Institute of Art, was waiting for him and had with him a full suitcase of Nazi leaflets, such as some copies of "Common Sense" and notations of BEN HECHT. NELSEN stated, according to the informant, that VAN ETTEN stated he wished to join with NELSEN but that NELSEN had rejected him because he believed he came from the American Federation of Labor and ordered him out of the house.

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According to the informant, NELSEN planned to make a trip to Chicago about April 1, 1950, to visit with KISTER and also to meet Mrs. ELIZABETH DILLING and her son.

This information was taken from report of SA [redacted] at Atlanta, dated 3-13-50 entitled "Democratic Nationalist Party, Minnesota District, Minneapolis, Minnesota,"

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[redacted] advised in February, 1953, that he had the following information concerning MAYNARD NELSEN:

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In February 1947, MAYNARD NELSEN, former head of the now defunct Democratic-Nationalist Party, was released on parole by the Minneapolis authorities and was active in sending "scurrilous letters attacking Jews and Negroes" who are prominent in the Minneapolis area.

This informant continued that during the same period in 1947 an individual believed to be NELSEN was heard in Cicero, Illinois barroom while he was attempting to hire gunmen to kill a reporter from the "Minneapolis Morning Tribune" and one attorney in the Minneapolis area.

This informant further stated that the "St. Paul Dispatch" and the "Minneapolis Star", both Minnesota daily newspapers, on April 24, 1947 contained a photograph of NELSEN. The informant continued that these newspapers carried an article that NELSEN confessed to placing hundreds of "anti-Jew and anti-Negro" posters on the University of Minnesota Campus.

The informant continued that in June, 1947 NELSEN ordered from a tailor shop a "stormtrooper's uniform" which, according to the informant, was made to specifications given in the official German Army Manual which was published in Germany in 1938. The informant further stated that this uniform is in the

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possession of one EUGENE REELY FIELDS, Post Office Box 67, Atlanta, Georgia.

The informant continued that in October 1947 NELSEN was arrested in Minneapolis for writing threatening letters and at the time of his arrest he was wearing a German uniform. The informant stated that at the time of NELSEN's arrest, plans for a Fascist organization and anti-Semitic and Fascist literature from the Patriotic Research Bureau was found on his person.

The informant stated that the Patriotic Research Bureau was organized in February, 1938 and it accumulated, compiled, and published anti-Semitic and anti-Communist propaganda.

The informant further advised that NELSEN is a veteran of the U. S. Army and is receiving disability compensation.

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[redacted] appeared at the Chicago Office and was interviewed by SAS [redacted] and [redacted]. At this time [redacted] furnished photostats and copies of several items.

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Included in the items was a letter to [redacted] DATED 2-26-53, regarding JAMES R. WHITE-KEITH THOMPSON-RAYMOND H. BURKE American Committee For the Advancement of Western Culture which reads in part as follows:

"Let me comment on RAYMOND BURKE and the Chicago aspect of the story. On February 5, I advised [redacted] and yourself that MAYNARD NELSEN, well known to our files, resided here in Chicago and was the character with whom [redacted] and [redacted] has corresponded. I understand that NELSEN is presently living at 469 Deming Place. He has a job in the credit department of the Chicago Herald American. We have already contacted someone in the office of the Chicago Herald American who will try to get close to NELSEN on the chance that NELSEN may drop some hints on his current activities, if any, in Chicago."

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RAYMOND BURKE and MAYNARD NELSEN resided in the same rooming house in Chicago.

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[redacted] on 3-4-53, appeared at the Chicago Office and was interviewed by SAs [redacted] and [redacted]. At this time [redacted] furnished photostats and copies of several items.

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Included in the items was a letter from [redacted] to [redacted] dated 2-5-53 regarding MAYNARD NELSEN and ELIZABETH DILLING STOKES reading as follows:

"On January 16, you advised that you were reliably informed that JAMES RAYMOND WHITE and FRANK L. BRITTON had engaged in correspondence with an M. NELSEN at 443 Deming Place and someone at 701 Gordon Terrace, Chicago. I sent you a response on January 19, indicating that I strongly suspected that these were MAYNARD NELSEN and ELIZABETH DILLING.

A current check reveals that ELIZABETH DILLING STOKES and her husband, JEREMIAH, continue to reside at 701 W. Gordon Terrace. As a consequence, I am certain that the two Californians are in touch with DILLING.

We have also learned that MAYNARD NELSEN is in fact living on Deming Place. As I advised previously, NELSEN is the character who gained a great deal of notoriety four or five years ago in Minnesota when he did a lot of flamboyant things, promoting his Nazi view. He dropped out of sight and it would not appear that we are "blessed" with him here. At this stage, we know the following:

NELSEN came to Chicago some time last Spring and took up residence at a rooming house at 443 Deming Place. He is single, has an automobile, never seemed to have any visitors at the rooming house and has no current record with the Chicago Police Department. It appears that he has a job in the Credit Department of the Chicago Herald American. About a week ago, he moved from the 443 address to another rooming house, which we believe is located at 469 W. Deming Place.

Because of NELSEN's excessive background, we will continue our efforts to learn more about what he is doing in Chicago in his spare time. In addition,

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because of his background and the likelihood that he is in touch with people like White, I yesterday alerted the FBI office to his presence in Chicago. Because his past endeavors were along the same lines now being followed by WHITE, it is rather important for all of us to try to keep abreast of what these characters are doing."

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Report of SA [] at Chicago, Illinois dated 6-3-53 regarding "American Committee For The Advancement of Western Culture" sets forth information concerning MAYNARD ORLANDO NELSEN.

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G-2 Chicago, advised SA [] on May 8, 1953 that in May, 1947, MAYNARD O. NELSEN, age 23, University of Minnesota student, admitted he was the Minneapolis leader of the Democratic-Nationalist Party "hate" group advocating persecution of racial minorities. This informant further advised on May 16, 1947 NELSEN was released from the city jail under \$1000 peace bond effective for six months. The informant continued that Municipal Judge ROLF FOSSEE, after studying a psychiatrist's report on NELSEN, gave NELSEN a lighter sentence because he thought that NELSEN could be rehabilitated. The informant stated counsel for NELSEN at the time of his difficulties in Minneapolis was one EARL LARSON.

Informant further advised that in December 1948 an Army medical board in Chicago had rejected the application for an Army Reserve Commission of MAYNARD ORLANDO NELSEN, 25, of Minneapolis, admitted former leader of a Fascist hate group.

This informant continued that NELSEN, who resided at 4020 43rd Street, South, was arrested in Minnesota April 1947 after he admitted placarding the University of Minnesota campus with anti-minority posters.

This informant advised that in February 1949, MAYNARD NELSEN who caused a "stir" in the Minnesota area

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by claiming to be leader of an anti-Semitic group was released from a year's probation in Hennepin Probate Court February 4, 1949.

This informant advised that NELSEN, a former University of Minnesota student, appeared in Minneapolis in October 1947 attired in a Nazi Uniform and carrying detailed plans to "overthrow the Government". Informant stated that NELSEN was placed on probation following a hearing on petition that he be placed in an institution. The informant stated that when discharging him from parole, Judge JAMES G. KEHOE said NELSEN's "egocentric and inappropriate thinking has disappeared".

HAROLD KEITH THOMPSON, Jr.

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Report of SA [redacted] at New York dated 10-29-53 entitled "American Committee for the Advancement of Western Culture" sets forth information regarding MAX NELSON, 469 Demming Place, Chicago 14, Illinois.

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HAROLD KEITH THOMPSON, Jr., 433 E. 82nd St., NYC advised that he had corresponded with NELSON concerning National Socialism and that NELSON concerning National Socialism and that NELSON was a great believer in Neo-Nazism. He stated that NELSON was also an anti-semitic who believed that the way to handle the Jews was to terrorize them, and if need be destroy them. He stated that NELSON resided with RAYMOND BURKE in Chicago and that both had been active in that city in Neo-Nazi activities.

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[redacted] on 1-14-55 furnished SA [redacted] "Monthly Report of ADL Midwest Fact-Finding Department Chicago, Illinois, January 13, 1955".

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The report reads as follows:

MAYNARD O. NELSON, one time trouble-maker in Minnesota, is now seeking to peddle his wares from

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Chicago. NELSEN gained considerable notoriety after World War II when he posted anti-Semetic signs on the University of Minnesota campus, began to wear Nazi uniforms and amassed a collection of anti-Semetic literature of all sorts, much of it coming from Nazi Germany. In addition, NELSEN delighted in possessing several souvenir revolvers, a German saber and the like. His escapades in Minnesota got him involved with police authority and he was compelled to undergo a series of psychiatric examinations, extended parole in the custody of his attorney and the like. He is currently seeking to promote a "Realpolitical Institute" which purportedly has something to do with opposing Communism on behalf of the "Whitefolk." At last report, NELSEN did not appear to have any following to speak of.

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[redacted] on 1-26-55
furnished SA [redacted] photostat of a letter from Realpolitical Institute, P. O. Box 1785, Chicago 90, Illinois to All Nation-Conscious Whitemen In Our United States of America regarding Internal Communist Danger and Conspiracy signed by M. NELSEN, Manager.

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[redacted] on 10-10-55
furnished SA [redacted] Report of ADL Midwest Fact-Finding Department Summer-1955-October 4, 1955."

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The report reads in part as follows:

MAYNARD O. NELSEN and the Realpolitical Institute did little of note during the past summer other than sending out solicitation material from Chicago to heads of various industrial firms. From reports we have received, NELSEN's acceptance by these 'prospects' has been noticeably poor. Although his initial material promoting the wares of this current group refrained from utilizing anything of an anti-Semetic nature, NELSEN's deepest bias came to the surface in June with a 'Program' which spoke disparagingly of a so-called 'Jewish Consensus!'"

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105-1152-42

By letter dated October 28, 1955, Mr. F. S. REEMIE, President, Franklin Typographers, Incorporated, 626 Federal Street, Chicago, Illinois, furnished SA [redacted] a proof of the Atlanta report which was set and made up for Mr. KRAUSS at Universal Label Printing Company and Mr. MAX NELSON.

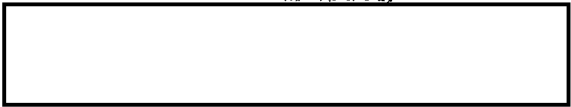
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They were printing approximately 50,000 of them to be distributed in Atlanta and in other parts of the country.

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St. Louis by memo to Chicago dated 12-7-56 regarding Realpolitical Institute advised that the St. Louis files reflected that inquiry was made for a name check on Realpolitical Institute, P. O. Box 1785, Chicago 90, Illinois by Major CHARLES LAWSON, C. O., Region VI, 113th CIC Detachment, SL on 11-25-55, at which time he advised that the following were officers thereof:

DIRECTOR: EUSTICE MULLINS
MANAGER: MAX NELSON



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[redacted] furnished the Chicago Office "Report of ADL Midwest Fact Finding Department Chicago, Illinois, March 6, 1956".

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The report under caption "Miscellaneous Items" reflects that EDWARD FIELDS, ringleader of a "Hate the Jew" campaign, still was in close contact with a number of known professional hatemongers in different parts of the country. FIELDS had been active in the Moline, Rock Island and Davenport Area. He was closely associated with Chicago's MAYNARD O. NELSEN and JAMES MADOLE, leader of the erratic "National Renaissance Party" of New York.

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[redacted] Panel Source, appeared at the Indianapolis Office 6-28-56 and advised that he had

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corresponded with F. ALLEN MANN implying a mutual interest along Fascist, Anti-Semitic lines. According to [redacted] MANN resided in Hinsdale, Illinois and had been publishing a Fascist sheet called "Revere", which was extremely pro-Fascist and Anti-Semitic.

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On 6-27-56 MANN phoned [redacted] and talked at length on activities and future plans of his associates. During the conversation [redacted] mentioned to MANN that he was going to Chicago, Illinois July 2 through July 4, 1956 whereupon MANN suggested contacting [redacted] MAX NELSON and WILLIAM WERNECKE.

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NELSON, a real estate broker, resided at 1914 West School Street and headed a fascist group in Chicago called, "Real Political Institute". [redacted] was instructed by MANN to contact NELSON and through him meet WERNECKE AND [redacted] MANN told [redacted] that NELSON was heading a heading a fascists group including WERNECKE and [redacted] which was planning some type of disturbance at the National Democratic Convention in order to gain publicity and generally harrass the Democratic gathering next month.

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[redacted] was to contact MAX NELSON 7-3-56 in Chicago and was to advise the Indianapolis Office upon his return.

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Miss GLADYS REYNOLDS, 6047 S. 74th Ct. by mail furnished the Chicago Office on 8-1-56 a letter dated 7-14-56 from the Chicago Committee for the Reception of Nationalist Observers at the Democratic National Convention, August, 1956, 469 West Deming Place, Chicago 14, Illinois. The name of addressee is cut out.

The letter signed by MATT is in regard to publicity for the Chicago Committee. The letter reads in part as follows: "NELSEN reports that he spoke with you recently in regard to publicity for the Chicago Committee."

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Fifth Army by letter dated July 25, 1956 furnished the Chicago Office copy of a letter from the Chicago

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Committee for the Reception of Nationalist Observers at Democratic National Convention, August, 1956, 469 West Deming Place, Chicago 14, Illinois dated July 22, 1956 and signed by MAX NELSEN. The letter issues an invitation to visit the headquarters of above organization in the East Room of the Hotel Atlantic August 12-15. Visitor was to learn who were the enemies of America, and the true nature of Communism.

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[redacted] who has furnished reliable information in the past, furnished the New York Office on 8-1-56 a leaflet entitled "The Democratic Party-Arch-Foe of White Civilization in America."

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He indicated that this was an anti-Negro article which had been written by JAMES MADOLE, leader of the National Renaissance Party. He said MADOLE had ordered 2,000 copies of this article mimeographed by CONDE MC GINLEY, editor of "Common Sense" at Union, New Jersey. He said 1500 of these copies were sent to MAX NELSEN, leader of the Real-political Institute in Chicago to be distributed at the Democratic Convention in Chicago.

Article now retained in 105-1493-19.

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[redacted]
Illinois on 10-18-56 furnished the Chicago Office the September, 1956 issue of Facts.

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Under the caption "MC WILLIAMS" the leaflet reflects that JOE MC WILLIAMS was the leader of the Chicago Committee of the Northern Friends of the South, which assembled in Chicago during the Democratic National Convention in August.

MC WILLIAM gathered about him his so-called "Chicago Committee" which included LYRL CLARK VAN HYNING of "We the Mothers Mobilize for America"; THEODORE MILLER, Chicago lawyer and MAYNARD O. NELSEN, who

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several years ago tried to promote Hitlerism in Minneapolis.

McWILLIAM had entertained high hopes of making a come-back among the ultra-nationalists elements gathered on the scene of the Democratic Convention. But his impact in Chicago proved very negative.

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This is a photostat of a letter on the letterhead stationery of American Humane Society, Inc., 6250 North Wayne Avenue, Chicago, Illinois, dated January 5, 1957 to Mr. FRANK J. MC GARR, First Assistant United States Attorney, United States Department of Justice, Northern District of Illinois, 450 United States Court House, Chicago, Illinois signed by WILLIAM B. WERNECKE, President.

Listed is in regard to possible prosecution of members of the American Humane Society by the Department of Justice.

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1-14-57 furnished SA [redacted] on [redacted] "Report of ADL Midwest Fact-Finding Department Chicago, Illinois, January 10, 1957".

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The report reads in part as follows:

"MAYNARD MAX NELSEN, another close collaborator of WERNECKE's remains active in his promotion of "The Repolitical Institute" of Chicago. NELSEN's technique is to send out wide-scale mailings to business and civic leaders around the country in an effort to gain supporters for his wild ideas. His last such mailing took place in November and December and outraged recipients have since reported in from points all over the country. To make sure that his wife and soon expected child have the necessities of life, NELSEN manages to hold down a job as a local bookkeeper."

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100-11506-600 p. 6

Headquarters Fifth Army, Office of the AC of S, G-2, 1660 East Hyde Boulevard, Chicago 15, Illinois furnished the Chicago Office an "Intelligence Report Summary" dated January 15, 1957, date-stamped Chicago Office January 31, 1957.

Under the caption "Neo-Fascist or Fascist Type Organizations" sub-caption "The Realpolitical Institute, Circulating Literature" reflects that the Realpolitical Institute, with headquarters in Chicago, was circulating its propaganda throughout the Fifth Army area. Publications of the Realpolitical Institute are both anti-Semetic and Anti-Negro.

The Realpolitical Institute was founded by MAYNARD ORLANDO NELSEN, aka MAX NELSEN, in the fall of 1954 in Chicago, Illinois. NELSEN's purpose was to form a political party which was essentially anti-Communist, anti-Semetic and anti-Negro in character.

The organization claims to: "Be a voluntary association of White men for the express and declared purpose of promoting American Folk Nationalism. Believe in an aggressive total political action against internal Internationalism, Pacifism, Communism, and Liberalism".

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[redacted] on 10-2-57 furnished SA [redacted] "Report of ADL Midwest Fact-Finding Department-Summer, 1957, October 1, 1957."

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Under the caption "We, The People" Chicago, the report reflects that the "We, The People" held its third annual Constitution Day Convention at the La Salle Hotel in Chicago on September 13, 14 and 15. Among those present was MAYNARD NELSEN of Chicago.

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Potential PSI [redacted] whose identity should be protected, on 11-26-57 advised SA JAMES W. CANNON that he attended the convention in Knoxville, Tennessee on 11-10-57 as a

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delegate representing the Independent Knights of the KKK. Convention referred to was the United White Party Convention.

[redacted] made available for photostating a mimeograph list of the delegates to the convention with those who could not attend. Among those who could not attend was MAX NELSEN, P. O. Box 1785, Chicago, Ill.

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105-4630-47 p. 7

Report of SA [redacted] at Indianapolis dated 12-15-58 entitled "National States Rights Party, aka United White Way" reflects the convention founding the United White Party was held at Knoxville, Tennessee, on 11-10-57. The name the United White Party was changed to the National States Rights Party and another forming convention was held on 8-30,31/58 at Jeffersonville, Indiana.

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Among those delegates who could not attend the convention was MAX NELSEN, P. O. Box 1785, Chicago, Illinois.

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[redacted]
[redacted] who is a confidential source of the Charlotte Office, on 11-26-57, advised that he had been contacted by [redacted] of South Carolina for the National Knights of the Klu Klux Klan and [redacted]

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[redacted] which he wanted to make concerning the formation of a new political party formed at a convention or mass meeting which he attended in Knoxville, Tennessee, 11-10-57.

The article was in regard to the United White Party. The mass meeting was attended by delegates from 14 states who adopted the following platform: "We the United White Party, in order to preserve the white race believe in the following, preservation of the white race, racial integrity, States Rights, revised foreign Policy, segregation and Christian principles."

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On 11-26-57 Potential PSI [redacted]

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[redacted] whose identity should be protected, advised SA JAMES W. CANNON, that he attended the convention in Knoxville, Tennessee on 11-10-57.

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[redacted] advised that among the delegates who could not attend the convention was MAX NELSEN, P.O. Box 1785, Chicago, Illinois.

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Headquarters Fifth United States Army, Office of the AC of S, G-2, 1660 East Hyde Park Boulevard, Chicago 15, Illinois, furnished "Domestic Intelligence Summary" dated December 1, 1957, date-stamped December 7, 1957.

Under the caption "Anti-Semetic Literature Distributed" the report reflects that the Christian Patriots Crusade sent an unsolicited copy of its publication The Revere to an officer at Fort Leavenworth. The Revere was published at Hinsdale, Illinois, and edited by F. ALLEN MANN.

MANN was reported to be a member of the Ku Klux Klan in Hinsdale. Among his Chicago associates was WILLIAM WERNECKE and MAYNARD, aka Max, NELSEN, both alleged to have pro-Nazi sympathies.

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Headquarters Fifth United States Army, Office of the AC of S, G-2, 1660 East Hyde Park Boulevard, Chicago 15, Illinois furnished the Chicago Office a "Domestic Intelligence Summary" dated April 1, 1958, date stamped Chicago Office April 5, 1950.

Under the caption "Fascist or Fascist Type Activity" subcaption "M and N Associates Conducting Propaganda Activities" the summary reflects that the M and N associates, Box 1785, Chicago 90, Illinois, had been circulating a propaganda brochure entitled "The Mullins Report" in the Fifth U. S. Army area.

M and N Associates represent EUSTACE MULLINS and MAYNARD O. NELSEN, both of Chicago, and both with records of association with neo-fascist type organizations.

MAYNARD O. NELSON, is associated with EUSTACE

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MULLINS and WILLIAM WERNECKE in the Nationalist Conservative Party. He has been an exponent of neo-fascist ideas since 1947 when he appeared in a Nazi uniform on the campus of the University of Minnesota, where he was a student. He was arrested and found to be carrying detailed plans for the overthrow of the U. S. government. Following a hearing he was placed on parole. He moved to Chicago where he established the Realpolitical Institute. NELSEN had been associated with extreme rightist groups, including the American Committee For the Advancement of Western Culture.

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Baltimore by letter to Director dated April 18, 1958 entitled "Interracial Situations" furnished the Chicago Office a photostat of "Mullins Report" as furnished to them by Captain WILLIAM F. REYNOLDS, Baltimore and Ohio Police Department, Camden Station, Baltimore, Maryland, on April 10, 1958.

The report is on the letterhead of "M and N Associates, Box 1785, Chicago 90, Illinois" and contains names of E. MULLINS and M. NELSON. The report is concerning the race problems between the white and negroes.

Captain REYNOLDS advised that he came into possession of the report through one of his supervisors in Pittsburgh, Pa., who found it on a Pittsburgh and Lake Erie train arriving in Pittsburgh, Pa., on April 7, 1958.

100-0-78185A p. 1

Fifth Army by letter dated June 19, 1958 furnished the Chicago Office a Thermofax copy of "Integration News" and a summary of information on Integration News dated June 18, 1958.

"Integration News" was violently Anti-Negro. Although facts were lacking to identify those responsible for Integration News, certain circumstances point to M and N Associates of Chicago, an enterprise of two anti-Semites WILLIAM WERNECKE and HAYNARD O. NELSEN. Both of these persons have publicized their strong pro-nazi sympathies and anti-semitic, anti-Negro feelings. Their literature, expressing this point

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of view, had been postmarked Chicago and mailed to Army installations without a return address. The handwriting on the envelopes containing Integration News and brochures of M and N Associates had appeared to be the same.

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Cleveland memo to New York dated 10-17-58 regarding Civil Rights Domestic Violence reflected that on October 13, 1958, Burke WILLIAM, ERICKSON NELSON, a graduate of the University of Minnesota in 1952, who was then employed as City Editor of the Willoughby News Herald, Willoughby, Ohio, a daily newspaper owned and published by OLIVER DOLTON, former Ohio Congressman, furnished information to SA ROBERT H. WYNN. He advised that while a student at Columbia University for three years prior to 1951, he became acquainted with EDWARD FLECKENSTEIN, who was an attorney and who resided at 39 King Street, Wehawken, New Jersey.

Through his association with FLECKENSTEIN, he became aware of the existence of organized anti-Semetic groups, and met through FLECKENSTEIN several of the leading exponents of anti-Semitism.

Mr. NELSON furnished the FBI the names of the anti-Semetic individuals who had come to his attention.

Among those he mentioned was MAYNARD "MAX" NELSEN, address unknown. NELSON had been expelled from the University of Minnesota in about 1948 for anti-Semetic agitation and according to NELSON was believed working in Chicago in 1952 with an individual named RAY BURKE (BURKHARDT).

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Atlanta memo to Cincinnati dated 1-23-59 regarding [redacted] ET AL sets forth information maintained in the indices of the Atlanta Division in connection with MAX NELSON, who was apparently identical with MAX O. NELSEN and MAYNARD ORLANDO NELSON. The following information is

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contained in the report of SAC H. R. JOHNSON, JR., dated 11-6-58, at Atlanta:

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On 10-15-58 the Atlanta police, assisted by Bureau Agents, conducted a search of the residence of [redacted] subject in instant case at [redacted]

This search disclosed a letter from MAX NELSEN, dated 2-26-56, at Chicago, Illinois, addressed to [redacted] concerning the political Institution, P. O. Box 1785, Chicago 90, in which [redacted] was requested to send literature to a group of individuals listed in this letter.

As a result of a search on 10-15-58 of the residence of EMORY CARNEY BURKE, suspect in this case, 145 Candler Dr., Decatur, Ga., by Atlanta police officers, assisted by Bureau Agents, a letter was obtained addressed to BURKE by MAYNARD O. NELSEN, 4020 43rd Avenue, South Minneapolis, Minnesota. This letter, dated 5-7-58, was anti-Semitic in nature and was signed, "With American Greetings, MAYNARD O. NELSEN.

In an interview on 10-31-58 with SA [redacted] and Detective [redacted] Atlanta PD, BURKE furnished the following information regarding MAYNARD O. NELSON. BURKE reported that he had known this individual since 1951, when NELSON visited him after he had returned from prison. He said that their relationship was confined to the exchange of correspondence only. He stated that NELSON is interested in the Anti-Jewish movement in general, but they had never made any trips for speeches together. He pointed out that NELSON was rather radical and sounded fanatical in his letters, but that was not his true way of thinking. He added that NELSON was not capable of planning or blowing up synagogues. BURKE was questioned about the above mentioned letter dated 5-7-58 in which NELSON is quoted as saying "I have heard that an old Jewish synagogue in Newport, N. J., had been recently dedicated as a national shrine. That is the most absurd thing I have ever heard for a long time. If that sort

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of thing happened around here, there would be a huge fire marking the spot where the synagogue stood. I would suggest that the above mentioned national shrine be removed from all reality as soon as possible". BURKE stated that the contents of this letter were not really the sincere beliefs of NELSON and that he took it as a joke. He pointed out again that NELSON was not a likely one to resort to blowing up or setting fire to Jewish Synagogues.

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[redacted]
[redacted] advised SA [redacted] on 10-15-58 that MAYNARD "MAX" NELSEN, former head of the now-existent Real Political Institute was currently residing at 2545 West Catalpa (unlisted telephone number UP8-7869). About a year ago NELSEN was employed as a bookkeeper by Miller Carlson Services, Incorporated, located at 22 West Madison Street and 16 South Canal, both addresses Chicago, Illinois.

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On October 16, 1958, Mr. GUS JOHNSON, Janitor of Apartment building, 2545 West Catalpa, Chicago, Illinois, advised SA [redacted] that MAYNARD NELSON and family had resided in the building for the past two years and had been good tenants. JOHNSON did not know where NELSEN was employed but that on about November 1, 1958, NELSEN was planning on moving to HOFFMAN Estates, where he had purchased a house. Hoffman Estates is a suburb located northwest of Chicago.

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[redacted] by letter dated 10-29-58 advised [redacted] FBI, that at 1:30 PM on October 23, a man identifying himself as HENRY OETTINGER, 2750 Mildred, Phone: BI 8-9851 [redacted] He advised he was a typesetter at Franklin Typographers, at 626 South Federal. He furnished proof sheets of an item which had been set up for M and N Associates (Mullins and Nelsen) entitled "The Atlanta Report", indicating that this material had

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been brought into his firm on October 24, and set up on October 27. He understood that it was to be printed up in final form by Universal Label, at 525 South Dearborn. He indicated that this was the second "M and N" piece set up by his company. The first one was done some months ago and he recollected that it was violently anti-Negro.

He mentioned that he had learned from his boss (name not yet ascertained) that the boss had gone out to dinner with MULLINS and NELSEN (MAYNARD NELSEN) some time ago and appeared to have a friendly relationship with them. The boss told him that these men "had Texas oil money behind them." In addition, MULLINS and NELSEN were planning to put out some kind of a one-shot magazine which would be both anti-Semitic and anti-Negro in tone; that the magazine would be a ten to twelve page deal, with 8 1/2 by 11 inch pages, and that it would be an expensive proposition. This informant stated that he had seen a proof for the item in his boss' offices about a month ago. Although this aspect seems to sound like it might be related to the "Integration News" item which came to light early this year, unquestionably emanating from MULLINS, it might be that the currently proposed "magazine" might be a new twist on the same general theme.

Original material in 105-1152-1a7.

98-1890-67 p. 3

[redacted] on 12-2-58
furnished SA [redacted]
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[redacted] appears
name of MAYNARD O. (MAX) NELSEN, Chicago, Illinois. He is the founder of the so-called "Realpolitical Institute" and has had a long association with FIELDS, MULLINS and KOEHL. Like EDWARD FIELDS, he maintains contact with JAMES MADOLE of New York, leader of the "National Renaissance Party".

93-1891-53 p. 3

Cincinnati airtel to the Bureau dated 12-15-58
regarding [redacted] ET AL, Bombing of the

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Temple 1539 Peachtree Road, N. W., Atlanta, Georgia 10-12-58" reflects that [] was reinterviewed on 12-12-58 and 14-58, at which time (12-14-58) informant advised [] told him that MAX NELSON and [] had attended the secret meeting of fifteen patriots at Chicago. [] said MAX NELSON had been arrested in the past in Minnesota, for passing out pamphlets. [] said NELSON told police that if they laid a hand on him he would come back and kill them. Informant of opinion this arrest in Minneapolis although [] did not specifically state so.

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Informant said he saw names M. NELSON and M. MULLINS on top of some pamphlets [] received, but does not significance of same. He said he will obtain copy of whatever pamphlets he can.

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98-1890-95 p. 1

BERNARD JACOBS, Station Manager, WFMT, 221 North La Salle Street, Chicago 1, Illinois, by letter dated 2-2-59 furnished the Chicago Office a letter on the letterhead of M and N Associates Box 1785-Chicago 90, Illinois, dated January 31, 1959 signed by E. MULLINS in regard to music played by that radio station. The letterhead contains the names E. MULLINS and M. NELSEN.

65-582-138 p. 4

Report of SA [] at Chicago, Illinois dated 2-27-59 regarding "WILLIAM B. WERNECKE" contained information regarding MAYNARD "MAX" NELSEN. NELSEN age 35, lives in Hoffman Estates, Roselle, Illinois and is employed as an accountant by Miller and Carlson Services, Incorporated, Chicago, Illinois and is a "worshiper" of MATT KOEHL and EUSTACE MULLINS. NELSEN was described as very anti-Semitic but not inclined towards violence.

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92-1393-1a3

[redacted] on 3-5-59 furnished SA [redacted]
[redacted] report of ADL Midwest Fact-Finding Department,
March 3, 1959.

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The report reads in part as follows:

EUSTACE MULLINS, MAYNARD NELSEN and MARR KOEHL are working as a triumvirate of hate in Chicago, creating and circulating a number of pseudo-intellectual hate offerings in leaflet form. Most of the material bears the return address of M and N Associates, Post Office Box 1785, in Chicago. Of the three, MULLINS is best known for a number of highly imaginative "literary" hoaxes, which seek to damn the Jews, reportedly from their own writings. These have been glibly picked up by the hate press and widely disseminated.

105-1493-26 p. 7

[redacted] (conceal)
furnished SA [redacted] with a number of 3 x 5 cards bearing the names and addresses of various individuals, some of whom contributed to the National Renaissance Party which is headed by JAMES H. MADOLE.

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[redacted] advised that he had received this material from [redacted]
[redacted] who told [redacted] that they had obtained the above material from an unidentified individual who had apparently stolen the above material from MADOLE's residence at 10 West 90th St., NYC.

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It is noted that on 4-21-59, [redacted] who has furnished reliable information in the past, stated that the National Renaissance Party is an anti-Semitic, Anti-Negro, neo-Fascist organization with activities generally confined to the New York City area. It was founded in 1949, by JAMES H. MADOLE who was in complete control of the party. The party's main function is distribution of the National Renaissance Bulletin on a monthly basis and distribution of pro-Arab literature obtained from official Arab establishments in NYC.

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[redacted] stated that the NRP continued to

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100-0-68143

This is a mimeographed letter to: "All Nation-Conscious Whitemen In Our United States of America" from Realpolitical Institute, P. O. Box 1785, Chicago 90, Illinois, re: Internal Communist Danger and Conspiracy; Subject "Realpolitical Theater".

This letter sets forth the dangers recognized by the institute and presents the problems. It states that the Realpolitical Institute was to sponsor a new, positive type of political action whereby the struggle against internal subversion is taken directly to our own Whitefolk, whose minds have been drugged by motion pictures, radio, television, and the infiltrated press.

The above is signed by M. NELSEN, Manager".

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Security Unit, Chicago Police Department on 12-8-54 made available to "E" [redacted] a typewritten report dated 12-7-54 re: MAYNARD O. NELSON, 1914 W. School Street, Chicago, Illinois. The report contains the following:

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Information received from G-2, Fifth Army, and DAVID MAC NAMARA, Commission on Human Relations, that an organization "Real Political Institute", P. O. Box # 1785, Chicago 90, allegedly distributes anti-Negro material.

P. O. Box # 1785, Chicago 90, checks to: MAYNARD O. NELSON, Political Promotions, home address- 1914 W. School Street, -Business address-"C. A. Ross and Company", 1315 Webster Avenue.

Security Unit Files:

NELSON, MAYNARD ORLANDO
Minneapolis, Minn. (1947)

Former university student, was arrested in Minneapolis for wearing a gray uniform fashioned

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after those of the Luftwaffe. In his briefcase police found plans for a W. S. Fascist organization. It was NELSON's second Minneapolis arrest; photo Sun Times 10-21-47.

Investigation, Car # 91:

It was determined after a brief interview with the owner of the building, a two story frame dwelling, at 1914 W. School Street, that the M. J. NELSON residing in the second floor apartment at the address is the same as MAYNARD O. NELSON who is listed in the files of this unit.

The owner, a woman, name unknown, stated that Mr. NELSON often visits with his parents in Minneapolis, Minn. She also stated that Mr. NELSON celebrated his 30th birthday within the past week.

Date 12/1/59

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<i>J.N. Nelson</i>			
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<i>198-1890-95 p.1</i>			
<i>105-1152-29</i>			
<i>Max Nelson</i>			
<i>105-1492-26 p.7</i>			
<i>105-4630-47 p.7</i>			
<i>100-11506-600 p.6</i>			
<i>105-4630-1 p.6</i>			
<i>105-4632-1 p.6</i>			
<i>105-3598-3</i>			
<i>100-11506-612 p.11</i>			
<i>Max O. Nelson</i>			
<i>105-3907-5</i>			
<i>105-1152-34</i>			
<i>Maynard Nelson</i>			

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maintain headquarters in the apartment of JAMES MADOLE,
Apartment 8, 10 West 90th St., NYC, NY.

Included in those contributing was MAX NELSEN,
Box 1785, Chicago 90, Illinois who contributed \$2.00.

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[redacted]
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(protect by T symbol requested) on 5-20-59 made available
to WFO [redacted]
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It is requested that the agent to whom this
case is assigned review the above bulletin.

105-2363-59 p. 1

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[redacted]
on 10-16-59 submitted to SA ROBERT J. DOLAN a [redacted]
[redacted] regarding [redacted] et al, Chicago,
Illinois dated 9-29-59.

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The report mentions that [redacted]
[redacted] had been trafficking with assorted elements
around the country, most specifically, EUSTACE MULLINS
and MAX NELSEN.

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On September 24, [redacted]
[redacted] and identified himself as [redacted] and [redacted]
had talked to him. He stated he was working closely
with Mister NELSEN and Mister MULLINS and had been for
some time. He shared their theories about how the
white elite must take over control of the world.

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He announced that Mister NELSEN was now
operating the "Truthseeker", formerly handled by
CHARLIE SMITH. NELSEN operated this from Chicago.

Original of above is now located in 105-
2363-1a6.

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157-0-82 p. 6

[redacted] on 10-7-59 furnished SA [redacted] "Report
of ADL Midwest Fact-Finding Department-Summer, 1959,
Chicago, Illinois, October 6, 1959".

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This contains same information as that in
105-2363-59 p.1 regarding [redacted]

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<i>✓ 105-3598-1A4</i>			
<i>✓ 105-2857-1A5 p. 6</i>			
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<i>✓ -1B4-17</i>			
<i>✓ Maynard O. (May) Nelson</i>			
<i>✓ 98-1890-67 p. 3</i>			
<i>✓ 105-5587</i>			
<i>✓ Maynard (Orlando) Nelson</i>			
<i>✓ 105-15587</i>			
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✓ -30 p.1			
✓ 105-2857-1A12			
✓ Maynard May. Nelson			
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1	John Smith	28	Striker	185cm	75kg	12	5	3	0
2	David Jones	32	Defender	190cm	85kg	0	2	1	0
3	Michael Brown	25	Midfielder	178cm	70kg	8	10	2	0
4	James Wilson	30	Goalkeeper	195cm	90kg	0	0	0	1
5	Robert Taylor	27	Defender	188cm	80kg	1	3	4	0
6	Christopher Lee	23	Striker	182cm	72kg	15	7	1	0
7	Daniel White	31	Midfielder	180cm	78kg	3	4	2	0
8	Matthew Black	26	Defender	185cm	75kg	0	1	3	0
9	Andrew Green	29	Goalkeeper	192cm	88kg	0	0	0	2
10	Thomas Grey	24	Striker	183cm	73kg	10	6	1	0
11	Richard King	33	Midfielder	181cm	76kg	2	3	5	0
12	Simon Scott	22	Defender	186cm	74kg	0	2	2	0
13	Jonathan Adams	27	Striker	184cm	74kg	9	4	1	0
14	Benjamin Baker	30	Midfielder	179cm	71kg	4	5	3	0
15	Samuel Carter	25	Defender	187cm	77kg	1	1	4	0
16	Christopher Evans	28	Goalkeeper	193cm	89kg	0	0	0	1
17	George Foster	23	Striker	182cm	72kg	11	8	2	0
18	Edward Green	31	Midfielder	180cm	78kg	3	4	2	0
19	Frederick Hall	26	Defender	185cm	75kg	0	1	3	0
20	Harold King	29	Goalkeeper	192cm	89kg	0	0	0	2
21	Isaac Lee	24	Striker	183cm	73kg	10	6	1	0
22	Jack Martin	33	Midfielder	181cm	76kg	2	3	5	0
23	Kyle Nelson	22	Defender	186cm	74kg	0	2	2	0
24	Leo Parker	27	Striker	184cm	74kg	9	4	1	0
25	Max Quinn	30	Midfielder	179cm	71kg	4	5	3	0
26	Nathan Reed	25	Defender	187cm	77kg	1	1	4	0
27	Oliver Scott	28	Goalkeeper	193cm	89kg	0	0	0	1
28	Peter Taylor	23	Striker	182cm	72kg	11	8	2	0
29	Quinn Thomas	31	Midfielder	180cm	78kg	3	4	2	0
30	Ryan White	26	Defender	185cm	75kg	0	1	3	0
31	Samuel Black	29	Goalkeeper	192cm	89kg	0	0	0	2
32	Timothy Grey	24	Striker	183cm	73kg	10	6	1	0
33	Umar King	33	Midfielder	181cm	76kg	2	3	5	0
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35	Walter Adams	27	Striker	184cm	74kg	9	4	1	0
36	Xavier Baker	30	Midfielder	179cm	71kg	4	5	3	0
37	Yara Carter	25	Defender	187cm	77kg	1	1	4	0
38	Zoe Evans	28	Goalkeeper	193cm	89kg	0	0	0	1
39	Adam Foster	23	Striker	182cm	72kg	11	8	2	0
40	Bella Green	31	Midfielder	180cm	78kg	3	4	2	0
41	Charlie Hall	26	Defender	185cm	75kg	0	1	3	0
42	Diana King	29	Goalkeeper	192cm	89kg	0	0	0	2
43	Ethan Lee	24	Striker	183cm	73kg	10	6	1	0
44	Fiona Martin	33	Midfielder	181cm	76kg	2	3	5	0
45	George Nelson	22	Defender	186cm	74kg	0	2	2	0
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TO : SAC, CHICAGO (105-5587)

DATE: December 17, 1959

FROM : SA JOHN W. TOEDT

SUBJECT: MAYNARD O. NELSEN
RACIAL MATTERS

On December 4, 1959, Postal Inspector [redacted]
[redacted] New Post Office Building, Chicago, Illinois,
furnished the writer one photostat copy each of an
Application for Post Office ~~Box~~ #1785, dated October 16,
1954, in the name of Realpolitical Institute, and a
Change of Address Order, dated October 27, 1958,
both of which were executed by the subject.

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of this file.

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TO: SAC, CHICAGO (157-2) DATE: 12/17/59

FROM: SA RICHARD L. STRAIN

SUBJECT: KLAN ORGANIZATIONS,
HATE ORGANIZATIONS
AND RACIAL INFORMANTS
RACIAL MATTERS, BOMBING MATTERS

On October 23, 1959, an anonymous source, close to MATTHIAS KOEHL, Jr., 4504 North Racine Avenue, Chicago, Illinois, provided photographs of documents which were currently in KOEHL's possession.

In the July, 1959, issue of the "ThunderBolt", self-described as the "official racial national organ of the National States' Rights Party", MATTHIAS KOEHL was listed as the national organizer of the National States' Rights Party (NSRP).

The photographs furnished by this anonymous source are maintained in Chicago file 105-35271B1. This source furnished photostatic copies of two documents in possession of MATTHIAS KOEHL which are entitled, "Prospectus on the Creation of a Realpolitical Institute Publication" and "Prospectus on the Organization of the American Registry". These documents apparently relate to each other as is indicated in the content.

These documents read as follows:

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(1 - 105-2437) (REAL POLITICAL INSTITUTE)
(1 - 157-new) ("Frontier")
(1 - 105-4630) (EUSTACE MULLINS)
(1 - 105-3527) [REDACTED]
(1 - 105-3357) (F. ALLEN MANN)
(1 - 105-5587) (MAYNARD NELSEN)

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"PROSPECTUS ON THE
CREATION OF A REALPOLITICAL INSTITUTE PUBLICATION

"I. Editorial Organization

"A. Editorial formula

- "1. Intelligently written policy organ for America's 'out-elite'
- "2. Stimulating presentation for the advanced, revolutionary outlook on political, social, economic, and racial issues
- "3. Balanced content within a broad idea base (idea area in first three issues calculated to gain adherency among all prospects)
 - "a. article immediately current during the month
 - "b. article current under existing system
 - "c. feature analysis article
 - "d. special 'voice-of-the-enemy' article
 - "e. book and literature review section

"B. Editorial orientation

- "1. Name and qualifications: simplicity, terseness, forcefulness, uniqueness, conservatism
- "2--proposed names: FRONTIER (ref list of proposed names)
- "2. Qualifications for a mast slogan: simplicity, terseness, uniqueness, aptness

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--proposed slogans: 'The Advanced American Idea'
'The Revolutionary American Idea'
'The Organ of Political Reality'
'Wave of the Future'

"3. Masthead symbol: the encircled thunderbolt

"4. Format (ref REASON, NATIONAL RENAISSANCE BULLETIN)

"a. general tone: simple, forceful, balanced,
appealing quality

"b. number of pages: four (single sheet folded)

"c. page size: ordinary $8\frac{1}{2}$ x 11 sheet

"d. number of columns per page: two

"e. width of column: $3\frac{5}{16}$ "

"f. width of middle margin: $\frac{3}{8}$ " (ref N. R. Bulletin)

"g. neat outer margins

"h. adequate paragraph breakage

"i. words per page: approx 700 (ref N. R. Bulletin)

"j. words per issue: approx 2500

"k. print: varityping or regular printing

"l. handsome masthead

"1'. name: 48 pt. Futura Demi-Bold caps
(or simple Conserif / Italic)

"2'. slogan: 18 pt. Futura Demi-Bold / Italic caps

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"m. stand-out article headings: 14 pt. Futura
Demi-Bold caps
(ref Reason, N. R.
Bulletin)

"n. authorship headings: 10 pt. Futura Demi-Bold caps

"o. common type: 10 pt. Alexandria Light, Bodoni,
Bookman (ref Reason, N. R. Bulletin)

"p. occasional use of bold type for contrast

"C. Editorial files

"1. Subscription list (3" x 5" cards) access

"2. Potential subscription list (8½" x 11" sheet) access

"3. News morgue (or access to central morgue)

"4. Library of books and other literature

"5. Suggested list of articles (w/ supplementary
research material)

"D. Personnel

"1. Editorial staff

"a. Allen Mann (editorial director)

"b. Max Nelsen (managing editor)

"c. Matt Koehl (policy editor)

"2. Potential contributors

"a. Eustace Mullins (associate editor)

"b. James Madole (contributing editor)

"c. Emory Burke

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- "d. Keith Thompson
- "e. Frederick Weiss
- "f. E. L. Anderson
- "g. Prof. Messer

"II. Business Organization

"A. Business formula

- "1. Goal: self-sufficiency through large number of subscribers
- "2. Policy
 - "a. minimum cost, minimum price
 - "b. promptness in issuance
 - "c. no unpaid circulation (with the exception of the introductory samples plus exchange and gratis circulation)

"B. Business orientation

- "1. Issuance
 - "a. frequency of issue: every month
 - "b. minimum number of copies issued: 1000 plus 50/100 extras
- "2. Circulation
 - "a. subscription rates
 - "1'. one year: \$2.00
 - "2'. individual copies
 - "a'. one: 25c

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"b'. five: 1.00

"c'. ten: 1.75

"d'. 25: 4.00

"b. mailing deadline: five days before month begins

"c. introductory mailings

"1'. maximum number of issues per prospect

"a'. list 'A': 3

"b'. list 'B': 2

"2'. inclusions

"a'. offers: books, booklets and pamphlets

"b'. introductory letter

"c'. follow-up letter (2/ last free issues)

"d. free exchange policy with other publications

"3. financial operation

"a. sources of income

"1'. paid subscriptions

"2'. money for book write-ups (from central)

"3'. contributions

"4'. kick-ins

"5. new, used book sales

"b. expenditures

"1 cost of issuing 1000 copies each month

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"cost of mailing:

"a". 3c stamps	\$30.00
"b". printed envelopes	x5.00

"cost of publication:

"c". varityping	x48.00
"d". photo-offsetting	x6.00
"e". masthead cost(defrayed)	<u>x.50</u>

Total cost:	\$89.50
Subscriptions covering	537

"1x cost of issuing 500 copies per month

"cost of mailing:

"a". 3c stamps	\$15.00
"b". printed envelopes	x2.50

"cost of publication

"a". varityping	x48.00
"b". photo-offsetting	x3.00
"c". masthead cost(defrayed)	<u>x.50</u>

Total Cost:	\$69.00
Subscriptions covering:	417

"2". miscellaneous expense items

"a". introductory letter
(note on need for publication,
plus its policy and role)

"b". letterheads

"c". ~~subscription blanks~~
mail envelopes

"c". income tax policy: no filing

"C. Business files

"1. Books of account

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"2. Subscription list (3" x 5" cards)

"a. paid subscriptions

"b. exchange circulation

"c. gratis cureulation

"2. Potential subscription list (8 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 11" sheet)

"a. classification of names

"Standards:

"1'. 'A' names (standards 1 and 2)

"2'. 'B' names (standards 3 and 4)

"1. ideologically apt

"2. likelihood of subscription

"3. potential contributor

"4. possesses intellectual potential

"b. potential sources of names

"1'. Allen Mann

"2'. Max Nelsen

"3'. Matt Koehl

"4'. Ed Fields

"5'. Eustace Mullins

"6'. Conrad Grieb

"7'. Russ Roberts

"8'. John Kasper

"9'. Emory Burke

"10'. James Madole

"11'. Keith Thompson

"12'. Joe McWilliams

- "c. devices for securing names
 - "1. exchange agreement
 - "2. blanket request
 - "3. extraordinary methods
 - "4. article placement agreement
 - "5. free issues agreement
 - "6. agreement to forward important news clippings and other documents"

With regard to the above mentioned document, it is noted that certain handwritten notations and deletions appear on this typewritten prospectus, and for the purpose of clarity the handwritten notations have been inserted as they appear on the document.

With regard to the proposed name of the publications as is listed under item 1 "Editorial Organization" the proposed name "FRONTIER" is suggested.

It should be noted that on October 30, 1959, the Springfield Division forwarded to Chicago, by routing slip, a four page publication captioned "FRONTIER" with the byline Advancing Democratic Nationalism and listed as publisher the Institute for Biopolitics, PO Box 1785, Chicago 90, Illinois. This publication contained a masthead symbol of an encircled thunderbolt. This symbol is mentioned in the above prospectus under item 3 of the sub-caption "B. Editorial orientation."

This publication was furnished to the Springfield Office of the FBI by [redacted] Special Agent, 113th Detachment, CIC, Champaign, Illinois, who had received the publication from Colonel CLAUDE WORTHY, AROTC, University of Illinois, Urbana, Illinois, who had received it from Major DANIEL L. CRUMPACKER, AROTC, Navy Pier, Chicago. CRUMPACKER had reportedly received the publication in the mail at Chicago.

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In view of the above information, it is believed that the organization formerly known as the Real Political Institute is currently operating under the title of Institute for Biopolitics and is currently publishing the "FRONTIER".

Document Number 2:

"PROSPECTUS ON THE
ORGANIZATION OF THE AMERICAN REGISTRY

"I. Sections

"A. Bulletin

- "1. Name: THE AMERICAN REGISTRY
- "2. Masthead slogan: 'A Service Organization for American Patriots'
- "3. Policy: issues marked by quality in both content and format
- "4. Issuance dates: the 1st and 15th of every month (ready for mailing three days in advance)
- "5. Subscription rates
 - "a. two years: \$9.00
 - "b. one year: \$5.00
 - "c. six months: \$3.00
 - "d. individual copies: .30
- "6. Format (ref Dan Smoot Report, Human Events, Reason)
 - "a. general tone: ^{enlightened conservative} or progressive conservative
 - "b. number of pages: eight (2 sheets folded and pasted)

- "c. page size: ordinary $8\frac{1}{2}$ x 11 sheet
- "d. number of columns per page: two
width of column: $3\frac{5}{16}$ "
- "e. common size of type: (ref Dan Smoot Report) 12pt.
- width of middle margins* "f. ample use of bold type for special announcements, etc.
- "g. ample stand-out headings *1. name (size kind of type)*
2. Slogan (size and kind of type)
- "h. handsome masthead
- "i. adequate paragraph breakage
- "j. *neat outer* sizeable margins
- "7. Size of initial issue: 5,000 (~~10,000~~) or multiple of 5,000
- "8. Free issue-exchange policy with other publications
- "9. Sections
- On the Patriotic Front*
- "a. general summary of the latest activities of patriotic groups and individuals *Parade of Events*
- proposed headings: 'The Latest in Events'
'Summary of Events'
- "b. special confidential scoop (irregular) *Am. Reg. Exclusive*
- "c. list of new organizations and individuals *new Patriotic Groups*
- "d. analysis-in-depth of some one current *new Patriotic Organizations* trend or event of general interest in patriotic circles
- "1'. technique: ask pointed questions calculated to raise doubt in regard to certain issues
- "2'. tone: intelligently refined

- "e. feature story about some one outstanding group or individual for contribution to the advancement of American nationalism (with cut of any individual involved)

—proposed headings: 'Special Mention'
'We Salute'
~~'Patriotic Profiles'~~

- "f. review of the latest right-wing books (giving name of book and author, together with a one or two sentence resume plus the price)

—proposed headings: 'The Latest in Books'
'The Bookshelf'

- "g. list of the latest small literature (giving name of the item and author, together with a one line resume plus the price in single and bulk quantities) ^{THE Latest in Literature}

- "h. basic explanation of the services of the American Registry, together with full instructions on how a group or individual can avail themselves of these services (included in bottom 1/5 of back page)

—proposed headings: 'How We Serve You'
'American Registry Services'

- "1. publicity and information through the bulletin

- "2. book services

"a. publishing

"b. sales promotion and distribution

- "3. small literature services (leaflets, pamphlets, booklets)

"a. publishing

- "b". sales promotion and distribution
- "4". placement of articles in various publications
- "5". free information service to subscribers about other groups and individuals in patriotic circles ('credit rating')
- "a". no hearsay given (to avoid libel suits)
- "b". no vital information given (to avoid important leaks)
- "6". free general information service *to subscribers* (with material drawn from news morgue and literature files)
- "i. statement of impartiality (ref Right) (included in bottom 1/5 of back page)
- (write up)*
- "j. publisher's vignette (included in bottom 1/5 of back page)
- "1". editorial staff members
- "2". address of editorial office & *business office hours*
- "3". bi-monthly issuance *mon - Sat 8: - 5:*
- "4". miscellaneous other second-class mailing permit requirements

Aa. Bulletin Supplementaries

- "1. The American Registry Index of Patriotic Organization and Individuals
 - "a. issuance dates: January 1st, July 1st (ready for mailing one week in advance)
 - "b. price: \$1.00
- "2. The American Registry annual awards (issued during annual award week)

- "a. author of an outstanding book
- "b. individual characterized by his unselfish dedication to the cause
- "c. individual whose efforts have brought about a higher degree of co-operation in patriotic circles
- "d. individual who has done most to focus the eyes of the nation on some important issue

"B. Books

- "1. Issuance policy: minimum of one new book per month ^{every three} (~~12~~ books per year)
- "2. Business policy
 - "a. sales potential of the submitted manuscript
 - "b. low cost, low mark-up, low price and large volume
Per Williams booklets
- "3. Publication functions
 - "a. author submits ms. to The American Registry
 - "b. The American Registry suggests any necessary changes or revisions and approves the ms.
 - "c. The American Registry sends the ms. to Manney
 - "d. Manney and the author enter into legal contract over royalties from publication
- "4. Marketing functions
 - "a. sales promotion
 - "1. ~~special flyer or brochure~~
 - "2. book review section of The American Registry

- "3'. special write-up in The American Registry
- "4'. notice in individual publications
- "b. distribution
 - "1'. bulk lots
 - "2'. individual quantities
- "c. Commission credited by Manney to the account of The American Registry
- "5. Prospective manuscripts and reprints
 - "a. America for Americans by Emory Burke (*first promotional venture with issue # 1*)
 - "b. Blood and Gold by Eustace Mullins
 - "c. The Dynamics of War and Revolution by Lawrence Dennis (pocket)
 - "d. Love and Death by Eustace Mullins
 - "e. Handbook on Propaganda by Eustace Mullins
 - "f. Iron Curtain Over America by John Beaty (pocket-size)
 - "g. The Crowd by Gustave Le Bon
 - "h. American Race Theorists by Byram Campbell
 - "i. Books by Madison Grant & Lothrop Stoddard (*digest form*)
- "C. Small Literature (leaflets, pamphlets, booklets) (*subj*)
 - "1. Publication functions
 - "a. author submits his copy to The American Registry
 - "b. The American Registry approves the copy
 - "c. The American Registry asks for a cost estimate from Manney

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"d. The American Registry enters into contract with the author if the total cost to the author (printing and shipping costs plus jobber's mark-up) is \$500 or less

"d'. Manney enters into contract with the author if costs total more than \$500

"2. Sales promotion and distribution
(figured separately on a commission basis)

"II. Editorial Office

"A. Location: (~~the loop or downtown business district of Chicago~~)
South side of Chgo. (apt-office)

"B. Office equipment available

"1. Desk, 72" x 30"

"2. Storage cabinet and safe

"3. Standard typewriter, with 14" carriage

"4. Folding chairs (4)

"5. Secretarial posture chair

"6. Reception chair

"7. Desk lamp

"8. Wall lamp

"9. Picture of George Washington

"10. Funk & Wagnall's Standard Dictionary

"11. Poor's directory, 1955

"C. Equipment to be purchased

"1. Large used file cabinet (for news morgue and literature samples)

"2. Steel shelving (for books)

"3. Linoleum desk top

"4. Electric clock

"D. Files

"1. Card index on organizations and individuals (under lock)

"2. Dossiers on organizations and individuals (under lock)

"3. Card index of books and literature

"4. News morgue

"5. Literature samples

6. Card index on subscribers (corresponds to addressograph plates)

7. editorial files for literature bulletins (3" x 5" cards)

"E. Date of opening: (one month before first issue of the bulletin)

"III. Legal Status of The American Registry

"A. Agents for Manney

"B. Joint venture (not a corporation or partnership)

"IV. Proposition and Procedures

"A. Manney guarantees a sum of \$5000 for the first year of operations of The American Registry

"B. McW opens a Chicago bank account with the \$5000---bank book in McW personal possession

"C. Nelsen signs lease for the office, bearing responsibility for debts, etc.

"D. Nelsen keeps ledger records in his possession

"E. Nelsen submits expense items to McW for payment

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"F. Only McW signs checks; Nelsen mails them out

"G. Nelsen submits cash to McW, who makes deposits

"H. Nelsen prepares and submits a statement of money received and spent to Manney ~~each month~~ every three months

McW has check book in his personal possession

income tax set-up

"V. Budget for the First Year of Operation

"A. Policy: to make the Chicago operation self-sustaining

"B. Budget items

~~"1. Salaries (McW).....\$2600.00~~

(50.00 per month)

"2. Office (including rent, light & telephone).....600.00

"3. Cost of issuing bulletins (120,000).....~~2711.25~~ 3640.00

"a. 2c stamps (120,000).....~~2400.00~~ 2400.00
(if second class mail not issued)

"b. Elliott Addressograph Service.....~~331.25~~ 1240.00
(Acme Letter Service, Mr. Hansen,
HA 7-2046, 531 S. Plymouth Ct.)
(5,000 sub.) 990.00
(per 5,000 mailing)

"1. plates (.05 ea.)...\$250.00

"2. addressing (\$4/M)....20.00

"3. stuffing & mailing
^ (\$8.25/M) 41.25 → 990.00

"B. Miscellaneous office items and equipment (uncalculated)

Total.....\$5811.25 3990.00
Salaries 2600.00
Weekly Average \$111.78 6590.00

"C. Gratis Items from Manney

"1. Letterheads

Total cost 4240
+ (\$50.00 per wk) + Salaries 2600.
\$ 6840.

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"2. Stationery

"3. Printed matter (120,000 bulletins; 120,000 envelopes)

"4. Business reply envelopes, with subscription blank (90,000)

"5. Freight charges from Manny to us.

"6. Books, flyers & other literature

"D. Maximum possible income from bulletin: ~~\$25,000 (based on~~
~~120,000 x 10% respon. = 12,000 subscribers x 5.00 = 60,000 bulletins issued~~
~~120,000 x 5% respon. = 6,000 subscribers x 5.00 = 30,000 bi-monthly at \$5.00/~~
~~120,000 x 4.17% respon. = 5,000 subscribers x 5.00 = 25,000 subscription)~~

"VI. Prospective Personnel

"A. Maynard O. Nelsen

"B. Matthias Koehl, Jr.

"C. F. Allen Mann

"D. Eustace C. Mullins (research, brochures, and miscellaneous free-lance assignments)

"E. Willis A. Carte

"VII. Editorial Titles

"A. Executive editor

"D. Contributing editor

"B. Managing editor

"E. Associate editor

"C. News editor

"F. Copy editor

"VIII. Devices for Securing Mailing Lists

"A. Mention in every issue of the bulletin (large mailing list holders)

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- "B. Special bulk rate prices on small literature
- "C. Preference in annual award selection
- "D. Preference in article placement
- "E. Forwarding of important news clippings and documents
(smaller editors)
- "F. Idealistic approach: an appeal for co-operation among
patriotic Americans"

With regard to the above mentioned document, it is noted that this document was typewritten and contained certain handwritten notations, deletions, and additions. For the purpose of clarification, the handwritten portions of this document have been inserted as they appear on the document.

OFFICE MEMORANDUM ***** UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: 1/24/60

FROM : SAC, CHICAGO (157-34)

SUBJECT: INSTITUTE FOR BIOPOLITICS
RACIAL MATTERS

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On January 14, 1960, [redacted]

[redacted] telephonically contacted the Chicago Office and advised that he is in possession of information concerning the "reactivation" of captioned organization and information pertaining to several individuals connected with this organization. [redacted] stated that he is of the belief that this information would be of interest to the FBI in view of the current racial situation existing today.

On January 15, 1960, [redacted] was contacted for interview by SAs ROBERT J. DOLAN and LELAND G. RICHIE concerning the captioned organization. He stated that he is [redacted]

[redacted] stated that on January 5, 1960 [redacted]

In completing [redacted] indicated he was employed as a writer and when queried by [redacted] ANDERSON stated he wrote for the Institute for Biopolitics. He thereupon produced a copy of "Frontier",

- 2 - Bureau (RM)
- 1 - Louisville (RM) (info)
- 1 - New York (info) (RM)
- 6 - Chicago
 - 1 - 157-2
 - 1 - 105-3527
 - 1 - 105-3802
 - 1 - 105-1152
 - 1 - 105-5587

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which he advised was a publication of the Institute.

[] stated that out of curiosity, he displayed a certain amount of interest in [] comments and as a result [] immediately began an enthusiastic explanation of the organization. Because of limited time, [] and [] agreed to meet for cocktails on January 8, 1960, to discuss the Institute and its work in greater detail.

On January 8, 1960, [] met [] and one MAX NELSON, who were at the time in the company of two female companions, whose identities [] was unable to determine. They met at Stouffers Restaurant, 26 West Madison Street, Chicago, Illinois; where [] and one MAX NELSON began a discussion of the Institute for Biopolitics. [] pointed out in reply to [] questions that the organization has approximately 50 some members nationally. NELSON thereupon interrupted to explain that these 50 individuals comprise the "governing body throughout the United States", but that actually the Institute had "a great many more members". [] described the organization as "neo-Nazi". [] stated that he was so surprised at the remarks of these men that he failed to commit to memory the details of the Institute for Biopolitics as explained to him at this meeting. He stated that he was able to determine, however, that according to these men, the Institute is a "white man's organization" and these individuals denounced at length the Jew and Negro. [] continued that these men left little doubt in his mind, that it was their belief that the Negro and Jew must be done away with in some fashion ultimately.

[] stated that during this entire conversation the two female companions of NELSON and [] listened to the talk and appeared to be fully aware of everything being discussed.

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[] advised [] that on Wednesday, January 13, 1960, he and another individual would call at [] to recruit him into the organization.

[] stated that that evening when he arrived at [] he found [] waiting for him in his living room. He stated that [] spent approximately 1½ hours with he and [] denouncing the Jews to the point where [] felt [] was "nuts". [] cited one example for his belief, in which [] described how he would lull himself to sleep each night by imagining he was sticking toothpicks into Jews. [] stated that [] behavior almost terrified [] prior to his arrival at his home. She had explained to him later that she admitted him only because he called at their residence explaining he was "a good friend of [] and when learning he was not home, almost insisted that he remain and wait for him. [] also told [] how [] had carefully examined their library and had even probed into the contents of their medicine chest.

[] stated that on January 13, 1960, [] and EUSTACE MULLINS came to [] to continue what [] described as "their plan of education". They brought a variety of literature for him to read. [] stated that from their conversation, he was able to learn that the Institute for Biopolitics is an already existing organization, and that some connection, unknown to [] exists with this organization and the National States Rights Party. The "Institute" is apparently headquartered in Chicago, Illinois, but according to [] they maintain no office, phone or address other than Post Office Box 1785, Chicago 90, Illinois. [] also mentioned that they meet regularly although he was unable to determine where.

According to [] seems to be "the head man" locally although MAX NELSON, EUSTACE MULLINS, F. ALLEN MANN, and [] also make up "the power". [] also advised that a women's auxiliary exists that is, according to [] more active than the men. He stated that he was unable to obtain the identities of the members of the women's auxiliary, believing it inadvisable

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to make such inquiry at this time. [] was identified to [] as the [] of the organization. Contact with the leadership can be had through NELSON's employment telephone number, the Miller-Carlson Service Incorporated, 22 West Monroe Street, Chicago, Illinois. The movement was described to [] as not an international organization but because of close ties maintained between the leaders and those in similar organizations abroad, they are not restricted to operations only in the United States. [] stated that the organization has a "Smith and Wesson Committee" responsible for the collection of arms and according to [] understanding, are perhaps the people who will ultimately be assigned to use these arms. In this regard, [] stated he was told that the group had a list of "certain politicians" marked for simultaneous death however, no further details of this were given to []

He stated that in feigning interest he told these people he was not interested in a debating society, that he had spent countless hours "talking" during his college days but talking and only talking. [] advised that little had been done regarding organized activities in the past, but that they were "now ready to become operational". [] stated that they cited the fact in Deerfield, Illinois for example, saying that they were "ready to move in with propaganda." [] stated these men could hardly control their delight with the way things were working out in Deerfield, especially since they have had to do none of it themselves. He stated it was his impression from various "veiled comments" that the two model houses in Deerfield would be dynamited, but again [] stated he could not obtain further information.

[] stated that he asked if the organization or movement had any part in the bombing of the Jewish temple at Atlanta, Georgia. He said that he was advised they had taken no part in this activity and if they had wanted to bomb the temple, it would have been full of Jews when the explosion occurred.

[redacted] said he was told they would like him to become the [redacted]. They explained that they have one now but he is no longer satisfactory. On the basis of this request, [redacted] stated he inquired as to the financial standing of the organization. He was told that he would be amazed at the number of Chicago businessmen who are backing them in their activity. [redacted] stated that [redacted] explained to him that [redacted] is expected to soon give them a large grant.

[redacted] stated he was advised that a New York Lawyer named EDWARD FLECKENSTEIN was, according to [redacted] understanding, "one of this movement". [redacted] was told that FLECKENSTEIN expects to leave for Germany on or about February 24, 1960. FLECKENSTEIN, [redacted] was told, was thrown out of Germany in 1953 because of his anti-Semitic activities however, because of the change in political climate, as evidenced by recent activities in Germany, he is going to return. [redacted] stated that EUSTACE MULLINS also intends to go to Germany and is making every effort to make the trip with FLECKENSTEIN. [redacted] stated that he was approached by these people regarding the possibility of [redacted]

[redacted] stated he just ignored this attempt on their part.

[redacted] voluntarily stated he would continue to maintain his contact with these men as long as the FBI had an interest in them and their activities. He said that many of the things told him sound completely ridiculous. He cited as examples the story that EUSTACE MULLINS maintains a cake of soap on a silver tray in his living room which is, according to MULLINS, all that remains of several Jews from Germany. Another example [redacted] cited was that NELSON has erected a sacrificial altar in his back yard on which one day, NELSON proclaims, a blood sacrifice of a Jew will be made.

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[redacted] stated while that to the normal person these things border on insanity, these comments are made to him in complete seriousness. He stated that while he has known these men for only a short period of time, he can only regard them as completely dangerous and "the most dedicated group of men he has ever known".

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It is noted that EUSTACE MULLINS, MATT KOEHL, F. ALLEN MANN, and MAX NELSON are currently carried as potential bombing suspects of the Chicago Office. Investigation will be instituted regarding [redacted] looking toward inclusion in the potential bombing suspect category. Investigation will also be instituted regarding the Institute for Biopolitics.

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On January 15, 1960, [redacted]

[redacted] advised that [redacted] is in receipt of some recent hate propaganda put out by F. ALLEN MANN. He stated that this activity on MANN's part comes as a surprise to [redacted] since MANN has been completely silent for many months.

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It is noted that MANN has made a reservation at the Atlantic Hotel, Chicago, Illinois, for the evening of January 22, 1960, for a meeting of the Christian Patriots Crusade. During the course of interview with [redacted] as set out above, he advised that he had determined that this group of individuals were to hold a meeting during the following week.

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By separate communication, information regarding the Institute of Biopolitics and the individuals concerned will be submitted suitable for dissemination.

A copy of this letter has been designated for the Louisville and New York Divisions for their information and for whatever action deemed advisable by those offices.

SAC, CHICAGO (157-2)

February 16, 1960

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KLAN ORGANIZATIONS,
HATE ORGANIZATIONS
RACIAL MATTERS, BOMBING MATTERS

Re SAC memo of SA RICHARD L. STRAIN dated
12/17/59, page 18.

On February 9, 1960, Mr. RUSSELL OLANDER, Superintendent, Acme Letter Company, 523 South Plymouth Court, Chicago, Illinois, advised that he could not recall that that firm had ever printed any literature, pamphlets, magazines or other data concerning anything of a "hate" nature. He stated that the firm was very particular in the type of printing they performed and also insofar as the addressograph service which they operated. He stated that the name "Frontier Magazine" and the "American Registry" meant nothing to him; that he was certain that that firm never printed anything under those headings. He also advised that the names EUSTACE MULLINS, MATTHIAS KOEHL, and WAYNARD NELSON, were unfamiliar to him. Mr. OLANDER checked records of that firm under the above names and names of the above publications and could not locate anything concerning them. He also advised that the Elliott Addressograph Service was operated by the Acme Letter Company but that it was not a separate business but rather the type of addressing machines utilized was the Elliott Addressograph. He said that there was no other firm in the area which had the title Elliott Addressograph Service. Mr. OLANDER also stated that the Acme Letter Service was formerly located at 531 South Plymouth Court but had been at its present location for the past two years.

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On February 10, 1960, Mr. HERBERT HANSEN, President, Acme Letter Service, advised that his firm had never printed any material under the name "Frontier Magazine" or the "American Registry" and Index of Patriotic Organizations and Individuals. He stated that those names were unfamiliar to him as likewise were the names MATTHIAS KOEHL, EUSTACE MULLINS and WAYNARD NELSON. Mr. HANSEN stated that his firm would never print anything of a hate nature and that they were extremely careful in the type of work which they performed as they had a favorable business reputation and could not engage in any type of printing

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or addressing which would be detrimental to the Acme Letter Company. Mr. HANSEN was very cooperative and stated that he would most willingly cooperate in any way possible with the FBI.

DIRECTOR, FBI (100-351528)

March 9, 1960

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SAC, CHICAGO (105-5587)

MAYNARD ORLANDO NELSEN,
Aka.
POTENTIAL BOMBING SUSPECT

Reference is made to Chicago letter dated
4/29/59.

Since referenced communication Chicago has
reopened NELSEN's case each six months for verification
purposes.

On March 1, 1960, Mrs. MARION VICTOR, 110
Morgan Lane, Roselle, Illinois, advised SA WILLIAM
R. CATHEY that NELSEN continues to reside at 114
Morgan Lane, Roselle, Illinois. According to Mrs.
VICTOR, she has learned of no "trips out of town"
planned or made by NELSEN in the past.

On March 1, 1960, [redacted]

[redacted] (who requests his
identity be concealed) advised SA CATHEY that [redacted]

[redacted] of NELSEN. He said that Miller-Carlson, Incorporated
is now a "dormant" organization and a new company,
Laborent, Incorporated, has been formed with offices
at Miller-Carlson, Incorporated, 22 West Monroe Street,
Chicago. He said that NELSEN is employed as a bookkeeper
for Laborent, Inc. According to [redacted] NELSEN has
not made any "trips out of town" in the recent past.

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[redacted] advised that NELSEN has often
expressed himself to be a "racist", to the point of
being psychotic. When asked to explain what he meant
by psychotic, [redacted] advised that, when NELSEN "takes
off" on his anti-Jewish and anti-Negro tirades, he
becomes pale white, highly excitable, nervous, shakes
and shows evidence of uncontrollable facial contortions.
Further, [redacted] advised that he has seen a loaded
.357 Magnum revolver and a five inch dagger in
NELSEN's possession and learned from conversations
with NELSEN that he carries these weapons in his
brief case and has the brief case with him at all
times. In view of the foregoing the below listed
caption should be carried on all communications
concerning NELSEN.

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In view of the foregoing, this case is being closed subject to being reopened each six months for verification purposes. In the event there is a change in the subject's residence or employment or any information indicating a possible implication in bombings the Bureau will be immediately notified.

SUBJECT CONSIDERED PSYCHOTIC, ARMED AND DANGEROUS.

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC [REDACTED]

FROM : SA JOHN W. TORDT

SUBJECT: [REDACTED]
PCI (RAC)

DATE: April 5, 1960

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EUSTACE MULLINS	105-1152
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[REDACTED]	105-2363
Purpose and results of contact	
☐ Negative ☒ Positive	
On 3/4/60, PCI advised [REDACTED]	
[REDACTED] MULLINS was in possession of a large red banner with a black swastika encircled in white in the center which he spread over a sofa and also displayed a bar of soap which he stated was all that remained of "some Jews." MULLINS and [REDACTED] had other [REDACTED]	
him to join any organization he would have to be enlightened on the objectives and scope of the organization. In discussing their organization, identity unrevealed, MULLINS and [REDACTED] stated that the reason they could not confide [REDACTED] was that they are not yet convinced that he can be trusted.	
[REDACTED] a local restaurant.	
☒ Security Informant certified that he had furnished all information obtained by him since last contact.	
Personal Data	Rating Very good
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[redacted] stated that on 3/4/60, [redacted]
[redacted] stated that he has been trying to contact [redacted]
[redacted] and pleaded with him to contact MAX NELSEN. [redacted]
[redacted] NELSEN had told him "We must not let [redacted]
get away," the implication being that NELSEN is the
dominant figure in any organization these individuals may
have and was disturbed with the manner in which MULLINS
and [redacted] in parting
company in an argument. [redacted] telephonically made
a dinner date with NELSEN and [redacted] for 3/5/60. Prior to
the dinner date on 3/5/60, however, [redacted]
[redacted] stated "they" had checked his U.S. Army service
record and somewhat questioned his trustworthiness as far
as being sympathetic with their type of organization and
cancelled his dinner date. NELSEN also called later the same
date and left word he would be unable to keep his date
that evening.

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OFFICE MEMORANDUM * UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC, CHICAGO (105-5587)

DATE: 5/19/60

FROM : SA ROBERT J. DOLAN

SUBJECT: MAYNARD ORLANDO NELSON, aka
POTENTIAL BOMBING SUSPECT

Review of this file regarding captioned individual, a potential bombing suspect of the Chicago Division shows that subject's residence, employment, and hours of employment should be verified in compliance with current Bureau instructions regarding individuals so designated.

It is requested that automobile license numbers be checked in view of the fact that this file shows only 1959 registration.

It is additionally requested that consideration be given to subject's activities since date of last review to determine if subject's name may now be included in the Single Fingerprint Explosives File, Federal Bureau of Investigation, Identification Division.

A copy of the results of this verification and review should be disseminated to Chicago file 157-2 (Control File).

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (105-66233)

JRW FROM: SAC, CHICAGO (105-4630)

NATIONAL STATES RIGHTS PARTY
RACIAL MATTER

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Submitted herewith is the original and seven copies of a letterhead memorandum setting forth details regarding proposed activity of captioned organization to be held in Birmingham, Alabama, in June, 1960.

The confidential source utilized in attached letterhead memorandum is [redacted]

[redacted] who obtained this information in private conversation with MAYNARD O. NELSON on [redacted] identity should be protected. He is currently under consideration for development as a PCI (RAC) of the Chicago Division. He has furnished reliable information in the past. Information set forth in attached letterhead memorandum was furnished to SA ROBERT J. DOLAN on 5/10 and 11/60.

It is noted that in furnishing details concerning the proposed activity of captioned organization, NELSON maintained a cautious attitude and warned [redacted] that ordinarily he would not mention the activity to him, but in this instance because of his personal excitement over the fact that this is "their first major demonstration", he felt

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he had to confide in someone. NELSON warned [] that should this information "get out," the source of the "leak" would be immediately known.

NELSON also remarked in confidence that he intends to participate in the demonstration and that [] also intends to be present. Because of the nature of this information, it is considered that the fact that [] and NELSON intend to participate may not be generally known.

It is noted that NELSON and [] are presently designated by the Chicago Division as potential bombing suspects.

[] stated he could not pursue questioning of NELSON without arousing suspicion and, therefore, he cannot evaluate the information furnished. [] related that he has supplied this information exactly as obtained from NELSON and during his conversation with him observed no indication that NELSON was being untruthful.

In view of the nature in which this information was received, it is recommended that the Bureau not disseminate this information at this time.

It is also requested the Bureau consider granting authority to the Birmingham Division to discreetly furnish officials of the Birmingham Police Department with details of proposed activity.

Chicago will follow and immediately furnish any additional information received from this source relative to the proposed demonstration.



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to
File No.

Chicago, Illinois
May 12, 1960

NATIONAL STATES RIGHTS PARTY
RACIAL MATTER

A confidential source, who has furnished reliable information in the past, advised on May 10 and 11, 1960, that information has come to his attention that a group of individuals, identified to him as the National States Rights Party, is to stage a demonstration in Birmingham, Alabama, during the middle of June, 1960. The demonstration is to be scheduled as near the 15th of June as possible, though will undoubtedly begin on a week end.

Source stated that information available indicates, "This is to be the first major demonstration of the group." Plans are for the group to march in Birmingham under the guise of a political demonstration. Some participants are to wear uniforms of an unknown description; however, those uniforms will bear the insignia of the National States Rights Party. Marchers, source stated, will carry banners and placards in support of Governor Orville E. Faubus of Arkansas for President of the United States and for Admiral John G. Crommelin of Alabama for Vice President.

The "target" of this demonstration, source has learned, is the "fringe-whites." It is planned that door-to-door contacts are to be made with these people to "gain their co-operation." Arrangements have been made, source continued, with a group of Negro "agitators" to throw rocks at the marchers. This action is expected to arouse the "fringe-whites" to demonstrate and work with the marchers and "to get everyone really going."

It is anticipated that violence will be unavoidable and while guns have not been mentioned certain of the marchers will be armed with clubs.

Source added the demonstration is scheduled to be run on a 24-hour basis. Participants will come from all over the country. Available information was that a "couple of strong-arm men" will be in from New York and Los Angeles. Full scale coverage is to be arranged in regard to publicity.

Source said that one Emory Burke, Decatur, Georgia, is to "ram-rod" the demonstration. Burke, source learned,

reportedly was recently released from prison and his lawyer together with Jesse Stoner, legal adviser of the National States Rights Party, are to be present at the demonstration to assist any of the membership who might be arrested as a result of their activities. John Kasper, widely known segregationist, if released from jail on time, will also assist in leading this demonstration.

Source learned that knowledge of the plans for this demonstration has been limited to a very few individuals and even in these instances such plans have been carefully guarded. It is, however, the intention of the group to publicize the demonstration to the membership in the near future.

This report is loaned to you by the FBI, and neither it nor its contents are to be distributed outside the agency to which loaned.

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Memorandum

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED
DATE 04-20-2010 BY 60322/UC/LRP/STP/ETG

TO : SAC, CHICAGO (105-5587)

DATE: 5/18/60

FROM : SA WILLIAM R. CATHEY

SUBJECT: MAYNARD ORLANDO NELSEN
RACIAL MATTER

On May 11, 1960, Mrs. MARION VICTOR, 110 Morgan Lane, Roselle, Illinois, advised SA WILLIAM R. CATHEY that MAX NELSEN still retains and drives his old automobile. She said the new 1960 license for this auto is Illinois 1010294.

She said two men arrived at NELSEN's residence on the evening of 5/11/60 and had a meeting with NELSEN. She said these men arrived in a 1952 two-tone green Chevrolet sedan bearing 1960 Illinois license 2947478.

A review of auto registrations reflects the above license was issued to L. OVERALL, 14542 Davis Street, Dixmore, Illinois, on an Oldsmobile.

The above is for information of the file.

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TO : SAC [REDACTED]

FROM : SA J. W. TOEDT

SUBJECT: [REDACTED]
PCI(RAC)

DATE: 5/24/60

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Dates of Contact	
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BOMBINGS & ATT. BOMBINGS, RM 157-2	
Purpose and results of contact	
☐ Negative	PCI was contacted for purposes of further development.
☒ Positive	he advised [REDACTED]
MAX NELSON. NELSON informed [REDACTED] during a social contact that plans are progressing for the planned demonstration in Birmingham, Ala., during June, 1960 and while he did not furnish any further details, stated that he and [REDACTED] spent the past Sunday mailing out literature on the demonstration to unknown persons in Birmingham. NELSON also mentioned on this occasion that one GEORGE SOKOLSKY, a newspaperman, attacked he and EUSTACE MULLINS in his column which appeared in the "Washington Post" newspaper on 3/11/60 and that he, NELSON, would like to make plans to have SOKOLSKY killed. (This information being incorporated in airtel to Bureau 5/24/60).	
☒ Security Informant certified that he had furnished all information obtained by him since last contact.	
Personal Data	Rating VG
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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-351528)

JW FROM : SAC, CHICAGO (105-5587)

SUBJECT: MAYNARD ORLANDO NELSON
RACIAL MATTERS

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On 5/23/60 [redacted]

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advised SA JOHN W. TOEDT that in private conversation on that date with the subject, NELSON stated that one GEORGE SOKOLSKY who he identified as a columnist for the "Washington Post", Washington, D.C., newspaper, attacked he and EUSTACE CLARENCE MULLINS as racial extremists in his column which appeared in the 3/11/60 issue of the "Washington Post". According to the source, NELSON was very upset at this and stated he "would like to make plans to have SOKOLSKY killed." He furnished no further information to [redacted]

NELSON and MULLINS (Bufile 105-15727) are both carried as potential bombing suspects of this division. [redacted] is currently under consideration for development as a PCI (RAC). He has furnished reliable information in the past and his identity must be protected.

Above furnished for information of Bureau.

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TO : SAC, CHICAGO (105-5587)

DATE: 6/2/60

FROM : SA WILLIAM R. CATHEY

SUBJECT: MAYNARD ORLANDO NELSEN, aka.
POTENTIAL BOMBING SUSPECT

Re memo of SA ROBERT J. DOLAN dated 5/19/60.

On May 11, 1960, Mrs. MARION VICTOR, 110 Morgan Lane, Roselle, Illinois, advised SA WILLIAM R. CATHEY that NELSEN continues to own and drive a 1953 grey four-door Ford Mainliner. Mrs. VICTOR said that NELSEN's 1960 Illinois License for this automobile is 1010294.

On May 26, 1960, MARION VICTOR, 110 Morgan Lane, Roselle, Illinois, advised SA CATHEY NELSEN continues to reside at 114 Morgan Lane, Roselle. VICTOR said that NELSEN is planning to travel to Minneapolis, Minnesota, on May 27, 1960, and visit relatives there until May 30, 1960, at which time he will return home. VICTOR also advised that NELSEN is driving a borrowed car to Minneapolis. He said that this borrowed car is a four-door 1959 Mercury sedan bearing 1960 Illinois License 2965985.

A license registration check is currently being conducted on the above license number.

On May 31, 1960, [redacted] whose identity should be protected per his request, [redacted] advised SA CATHEY that NELSEN continues employment as a bookkeeper for Laborent, Inc., 22 West Monroe Street, Chicago, Illinois. [redacted] stated that NELSEN has recently returned from a short visit to Minneapolis.

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As no information has been developed indicating that the subject is familiar with explosives his name is not being included in the Single Fingerprint Explosive File of the Identification Division of the Bureau at this time.

It is recommended that the above case be closed subject to being reopened in six months for verification purposes.

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TO : SAC (105-5587)

DATE: June 22, 1960

FROM : SA WILLIAM R. CATHEY

SUBJECT: MAYNARD ORLANDO NELSEN, Aka.
RACIAL MATTER;
POTENTIAL BOMBING SUSPECT

A review of current license registrations for the State of Illinois reflects that 1960 Illinois license 2965985 was issued to Laborent, Inc., 22 West Monroe Street, Chicago, Illinois on a 1951 Chevrolet carry-all.

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OFFICE MEMORANDUM * UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAG, CHICAGO

DATE: 10/20/60

FROM : SA ROBERT J. DOLAN

SUBJECT: *MAYNARD ORLANDO NELSON, AKA.*
POTENTIAL BOMBING SUSPECT

Review of this file regarding captioned individual, a potential bombing suspect of the Chicago Division shows that subject's residence, employment, and hours of employment should be verified in compliance with current Bureau instructions regarding individuals so designated.

It is requested that automobile license numbers be checked in view of the fact that this file shows only 1959 registration.

It is additionally requested that consideration be given to subject's activities since date of last review to determine if subject's name may now be included in the Single Fingerprint Explosives File, Federal Bureau of Investigation, Identification Division.

A copy of the results of this verification and review should be disseminated to Chicago file 157-2 (Control File).

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On November 23, 1960, [REDACTED] advised SAs ROBERT J. DOLAN and JOHN W. TOEDT that on November 22, 1960, he had learned from MAX NELSON that [REDACTED] is currently travelling somewhere in Mexico. The date of [REDACTED] return to Chicago is unknown. [REDACTED] stated that, according to NELSON, [REDACTED] are also travelling with him in Mexico. [REDACTED] stated that in conversation with NELSON, NELSON gave no indication that he, NELSON, is concerned in current racial activities in the Chicago area.

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[REDACTED] advised that he has had infrequent contact with NELSON and because of [REDACTED] he will be unable to afford the time necessary to develop his acquaintanceship with NELSON. Also, [REDACTED] stated indications are now that he will have even less time in the future for such activities. [REDACTED] explained that experience has shown that when [REDACTED] contacts NELSON or [REDACTED] intending to develop his relationship with them and their activities, they have "plagued him to death" with telephone calls, visits to his office, etc. He added that in view of his current workload, he does not feel that he can afford the intrusion on the part of these men on his time.

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[REDACTED] stated, however, that he would be happy to continue to cooperate with the FBI as much as possible and would voluntarily furnish any information brought to his attention, though he will not have the time to seek such information out.

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In view of the above, it is recommended that investigation to develop [REDACTED] as an informant in the racial field be discontinued and that this matter be placed in a closed status.

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TO : SAC (105-5587)

DATE: 12/13/60

FROM : SA JOHN W. TOEDT

SUBJECT: MAYNARD ORLANDO NELSON, aka
POTENTIAL BOMBING SUSPECT

On 11/29/60 MRS. MARION A. VICTOR, 110 Morgan Lane, Roselle, Illinois advised SA BRYCE S. PLESNER that NELSON continues to reside at 114 Morgan Lane and drives a 1953 grey 4-door Ford automobile bearing 1960 Illinois license 1010294.

On 12/8/60 [redacted] advised that NELSON continues to be employed as a bookkeeper at that firm.

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It is recommended that this case be closed subject to reopening for verification six months from date.

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TO : SAC (105-5587)

DATE: 1/18/61

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

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SUBJECT: MAYNARD ORLANDO NELSON

On 1/11/61, a 1953 Ford, grey, two-door Mainliner, bearing 1961 Illinois license 409 539 and 1961 Hoffman Estates windshield sticker #1035, was observed by SAs JOHN C. SULLIVAN and [REDACTED] parked in the vicinity of the Roselle, Illinois, railroad station.

It is to be noted that the subject's file reflects that in 1960 he possessed a 1953 Ford, grey automobile, and neighborhood investigation on 1/11/61 indicated the subject parked his car at Roselle, Illinois, railroad station every day to commute to Chicago by train to work.

On 1/11/61 RICHARD W. SMITH and his wife MARY LOIS SMITH, 113 Morgan Lane, Roselle, Illinois, advised SAs SULLIVAN and [REDACTED] that they have known NELSON as a neighbor since November, 1958.

Mr. and Mrs. SMITH advised they could provide no information as to NELSON's activities prior to or subsequent to midnight on 1/10/61.

Mrs. SMITH advised he left for work on 1/10/61 around 11:00 PM and did not observe the subject upon leaving.

The SMITHs described NELSON as a very quiet person and appears to keep to himself. RICHARD SMITH related that on occasion he has invited NELSON and his wife "Tea" (ph) over for "cook outs" in the summer and Mr. NELSON will stay a short while, having a couple of drinks, then leave for his house and his wife will stay.

MARY LOIS SMITH stated that the NELSONs have two children, INGRID NELSON, 2½ years old, and MICHAEL NELSON, 1½ years old.

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The SMITHs related that Mrs. NELSON's mother, name believed to be SCHMIDT, is presently visiting them on a visa from Bavaria, Germany.

Mrs. SMITH stated that "Tea" (Ph) NELSON's first name is either ANN TERESA or MARIE TERESA NELSON, and that she came from Germany to the U.S. after World War II.

Mr. SMITH stated that NELSON's wife appears well educated and worked at radio station WLS in Chicago, prior to her marriage to MAYNARD NELSON, as a secretary.

Mr. SMITH stated that MAX NELSON gets off the 6:04 PM train from work at Chicago every night at Roselle and drives to and from the railroad station in his 1953 or 1954 grey two-door Ford.

Mr. SMITH advised that NELSON usually puts his car away in the garage when home.

On 1/11/61 FRANK and RUTH HAFFNER, 118 Morgan Lane, Roselle, Illinois, advised SAs SULLIVAN and [redacted] they have been next door neighbors of MAX NELSON about two years.

The HAFFNERS stated they did not see the subject on 1/10/61 and could furnish no information as to NELSON's activities prior to and subsequent to midnight on 1/11/61.

Mrs. HAFFNER stated that NELSON usually leaves his car in his driveway when he comes home at night from work and puts it away around 10:00 PM.

The HAFFNERS advised that NELSON's wife's mother's name is unknown, and that she is visiting with them from Germany.

On 1/11/61 Mrs. DORIS VICTOR, 110 Morgan Lane, Roselle, Illinois, advised SAs SULLIVAN and [redacted] that she was acquainted with MAX NELSON as a neighbor but was not in the possession of any information as to his activities prior to and subsequent to midnight on 1/10/61, as she had not seen him.

Mrs. VICTOR related almost every Sunday MAX NELSON goes out to a farm west of Roselle to shoot. VICTOR

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stated NELSON bought a new rifle or shotgun last summer.

Mrs. VICTOR further related that NELSON's wife's mother, name unknown, came to stay with them in October, 1960, on a six months visa from Germany and is still here.

NELSON drives his car to Roselle every day and takes the train to work in Chicago, Illinois.

SAC (157-69)

1/19/61

SA JOSEPH E. TRAVERS

UNKNOWN SUBJECT;
Bombing of Anshe Emet
Synagog, 3760 North
Pine Grove Avenue,
Chicago, Illinois
1/10/61
BOMBING MATTERS

Attached hereto for each file indicated is
a copy of an FD-302 pertaining to an interview with
MAYNARD ORLANDO NELSON, who was interviewed on 1/13/61,
by SAs JOSEPH E. TRAVERS and BRYCE S. PLESNER.

Description

Pertaining to the description of NELSON as is
currently available, it should be noted that NELSON is
apparently quite deaf in his right ear and appears to
weigh approximately 140 pounds. The remainder of his
description is current and correct.

Observations of Interviewing Agents

NELSON is an egotistical extrovert suffering
from delusions of grandeur, who by his own admissions
is interested in political advancement and who is by his
own statements an expert and authority on practically
any subject brought up.

- 1 - 105-5587 (MAX NELSON)
- 1 - 105-1152 (EUSTACE MULLINS)
- 1 - 105-4630 (NSRP)
- 1 - 157-3 (GEORGE ROCKWELL)

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MAYNARD ORLANDO NELSON advised that he had written letters to all four major newspapers in Chicago, Illinois, and all were similar to the letter he sent to the FBI Office in Chicago. He identified himself as the writer of the letter which was shown to him.

In regard to the contents of this letter which drew the conclusion that the bombing of several Jewish temples was "an old Jewish fund raising gimmick", NELSON stated it would be necessary to give some background concerning himself in order to show how he came to this conclusion.

NELSON stated he was a specialist in Jewish problems and was the manager of M&N Associates, Post Office Box 1785, Chicago 90, Illinois, adding that EUSTACE MULLINS was the director of M&N Associates. He stated that M&N Associates published in November, 1958, "The Atlanta Report", which set forth the view of MULLINS and himself and disproved the "frame-up" of the four or five boys arrested in connection with the bombing of the temple in Atlanta, Georgia. He added that all of these boys were members of the Nationalist States Rights Party (NSRP) of which he also is a member.

Concerning the NSRP, NELSON stated this Party consisted of individuals whom he described as a "hybrid type of Nazis". He stated the work of the NSRP was almost over and as to show how this was true, commented on the fact that the NSRP was responsible for President Elect KENNEDY getting less than 50% of the total popular votes in the recent National Election. He stated the NSRP is the third largest political party in the United States and polled over 200,000 votes in the nine states in which the NSRP and its affiliates were on the ballot. In some states he stated this Party was listed as the States Rights Party, however, the NSRP assisted them with both literature and propaganda. The purpose was to create a "theoretical basis of a racist nationalist state".

On 1/13/61 at 114 Morgan Lane,
Roselle, Illinois File # 157-69
by SAs JOSEPH E. TRAVERS and
BRYCE S. PLESNER/mak Date dictated 1/16/61

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NELSON stated that it is his contention as a specialist in Jewish problems that "the thing that keeps the Jews together is fear, if not from without, then within". He stated that it is apparent that those of the Jewish race in the United States are not only not persecuted but actually were "the favored minority race".

NELSON stated that he wrote the letters to the newspapers because in general when there is a bombing of a Jewish temple, those in authority and the newspapers immediately make accusations that racists such as himself and members of his Party are the logical suspects because of their admitted hate of the Jewish race, and because of this attitude, he wrote this type of letter as a defensive measure.

He stated he would continue to write these letters whenever any bombing of a Jewish temple takes place, whether it be in Chicago, Detroit, New York, or California. He commented that he has had a large number of letters printed in various newspapers over the years on various subjects.

NELSON commented in regard to the bombings of the Jewish temples no "non-Jew" was ever convicted of such a bombing and "no Jew" was ever injured in any of these bombings, reiterating that these bombings were a "fund raising gimmick"; that since the Jewish race in the United States was not persecuted from without, it was persecuted from within, that is self-created persecution in order to keep its members in line, create sympathy for the Jewish religion and raise funds.

Pertaining to the NSRP, NELSON stated there is no rigid organization; that it is an informal organization, and holds conventions when the need arises, at which conventions officers are elected and that conventions are held approximately twice a year. He stated the last NSRP convention was held in Chattanooga, Tennessee, a week after the last National Election and although

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he was not present, he was represented at this convention. He declined to state where the NSRP funds come from, stating this was "top secret".

NELSON bragged that the NSRP was an international organization and as such he has access to information concerning activities all over the world, including activities behind the Iron Curtain.

In an attempt to illustrate the depth of the information available to him, NELSON stated that should the agents indicate an interest in joining the NSRP, he could have them "checked out" within a month's time. He stated such an inquiry would contain complete background information, including the length of time they had served in the FBI.

NELSON stated there are people in the NSRP who have been converted from the Jewish faith. He stated these people are probably only one-half or one quarter Jewish and are the "EICHMANN's" and like him, they feel they have to prove themselves.

NELSON stated that the feeling of the NSRP concerning the Jewish people was that they are not a religion but were a race. He stated that those of the Jewish race were not included as Caucasians and were parasites. He stated the Jewish people on the beaches at Tel Aviv were being financed by the Jewish people in Chicago.

He stated the Jewish people raise money by such things as the Atlanta Bombing, adding that the rabbi in Atlanta, Georgia, had to publicly ask the people to stop sending in money as they had raised in excess of \$200,000 after the bombing.

NELSON likened the NSRP to the Black Dragon Society in Japan and stated that he felt the NSRP would gain national recognition in the United States within the next ten years. He described NSRP members as "native American racial nationalists".

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He stated the NSRP believes in the Constitution of the United States and the first Ten Amendments of the Bill of Rights.

Specifically, concerning the bombing of the Jewish synagog, NELSON categorically denied that he had any part in the bombing and stated there was no percentage in any member of the NSRP committing such a crime since nothing could be accomplished by it. He explained this statement by stating that (1) The NSRP and its members get blamed immediately for such a crime in view of their attitude toward the Jewish race. (2) These bombings arouse sympathy for the Jewish race and (3) It gave the Jewish leaders an excellent fund raising opportunity.

Specifically, concerning himself, NELSON stated he has been extremely busy in moving the office of his employment from 22 West Monroe Street, Chicago, Illinois, to 630 South State Street, Chicago, Illinois, and actually did not hear about the bombing of the synagog until Wednesday afternoon. He added that as soon as he heard this news, he knew the FBI would be out to see him since he and fellow-members of the NSRP, who are openly anti-Semitic, are automatically suspects and questioned concerning such acts.

When asked if it were necessary to account for his time on the day and evening of this bombing, could he do so, NELSON stated he took the 5:12 p.m. Milwaukee Railroad commuter train, which reached Roselle, Illinois Station about 6:09 p.m. He stated he reached home at approximately 6:30 p.m., placing his automobile in his garage as he always did for security reasons, and did not leave home for the rest of the evening. He stated his wife, mother-in-law, and children were the only ones who could vouch for the fact he was home all evening. He stated he was in bed by approximately 10:30 p.m. which is the time he normally retires.

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NELSON stated occasionally he gives one or two men who live in his neighborhood a ride from the Roselle Railroad Station, but could not recall if he did this on the night of the bombing. He stated he could have, but did not know for sure. These men are BEN BRADY and LEW (LNU), whose addresses he did not know, however, he stated he could point out their homes should it be necessary.

Specifically, concerning the allegation he made in the letters he wrote to the newspapers, NELSON admitted ~~it was only an allegation~~ and that he had no proof whatsoever. He stated, however, he would attempt to obtain proof within the next two weeks and would advise the FBI of same. NELSON stated he was very anxious to have these bombings solved and after being specifically asked, stated he would advise the FBI of any information he gets, even if it would involve a member of the NSRP.

He stated that he was an expert in police investigative techniques and that he knew the French Police had a saying that in order to solve a crime, the police had only to look for a woman. NELSON stated here in the United States the police look for the money, that is, ~~who~~ who would make a profit out of the crime.

He stated that ~~being~~ at the bombing this way, it had to be the Jewish people themselves who caused this bombing because they would be the only ones to profit by it because of the fund raising potential.

Noting that he had mentioned EUSTACE MULLINS as being director of M&N Associates, NELSON was asked if he knew where MULLINS was at present. NELSON stated that he did not know where MULLINS is at present and, in fact, has been looking for him since he, NELSON, has set up a television appearance for MULLINS on the Marty Faye Show on WBKB TV. NELSON stated he received a Christmas card from MULLINS and recalled the postmark

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was from New York. He stated that if MULLINS was not located he, NELSON, would make the television appearance, adding that the original date of the Marty Faye Show appearance was January 16, 1961. However, this has been postponed.

NELSON also stated he has two other feelers out for television appearances under the name of Institute for Biopolitics, one being on Channel 11, Chicago TV, and the other on the Irv Kupcinet Show and had furnished KUPCINET with literature from the Institute of Biopolitics.

Pertaining to MULLINS, NELSON commented there was a possibility that MULLINS might move back to Chicago sometime in the Spring of 1961.

When asked if he knew GEORGE LINCOLN ROCKWELL, NELSON stated he had met ROCKWELL approximately one year ago through mutual friends, adding he would not disclose the names of the mutual friends because they were "top secret".

He described ROCKWELL as being a stupid individual who has political aspirations.

NELSON stated he, himself, hoped to run for political office in the near future, possibly starting in politics by running for the office of Governor of Illinois when the times is right.

NELSON, during the course of interview, made several comments concerning the FBI and the various agencies of the United States Government to the effect that he could not trust any individual who was employed by any agency of the United States Government.

He readily admitted that during the course of interview with the two agents, he had not been mistreated

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in any way and were it not for the fact they were with the FBI, he could have trusted them. He stated that he was available for recontacts at any future time, should such become necessary. NELSON requested, however, that he be contacted telephonically to set up an appointment prior to such contacts.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

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TO : SAC (157-69)

DATE: 1/25/61

FROM : SA JOHN W. TOEDT

SUBJECT: UNSUB; Bombing of Anshe Emet Synagogue,
Chicago, Illinois, 1/10/61
Bombing Matters

On 1/12/61 there was received by mail a letter from MAYNARD NELSEN addressed to "Chief Commissar of Police F.B.I. HQ. Chicago, Ill.", concerning the bombing of captioned synagogue. Same is being retained in the 1A section of 105-5587.

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SAC, Chicago (157-69)

1/31/61

SA ROBERT J. DOLAN

UNSUB; Bombing of Anshe Emet
Synagogue, 3760 North Pine Grove,
Chicago, Illinois, 1/10/61
BOMBING MATTERS

On 1/13/61 MAYNARD ORLANDO NELSON (CG 105-5587) a potential bombing suspect of the Chicago Office, was interviewed in an effort to account for his whereabouts at the time of instant bombing. The results of this interview are recorded in attached FD 302. Copies are also submitted for the following files:

MAYNARD ORLANDO NELSON	CG 105-5587
EUSTACE CLARENCE MULLINS	CG 105-1152
NATIONAL STATES RIGHTS	
PARTY	CG 105-4630
INSTITUTE FOR BIOPOLITICS	CG 157-34

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February 7, 1961

SA ROBERT J. DOLAN

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[REDACTED]
RACIAL MATTERS

On January 24, 1961, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] advised he had just learned that captioned individual had returned from Europe perhaps some weeks ago, however, the exact date of [REDACTED] return is unknown.

[REDACTED] stated he has maintained contact with MAX NELSON and [REDACTED] during the past few months. He stated that earlier he began to form an opinion that this so-called organization, the Institute for Biopolitics, does not, in fact, exist other than perhaps on paper. [REDACTED] stated that recent contacts with these individuals have solidified this opinion. He stated that he has no information that these people are actually involved in organizational activity, even though they were quite outspoken as to their dislike for the Jew. [REDACTED] stated, has not even indicated anti-semitic sympathies.

Regarding [REDACTED] stated that he believes she is just a "companion" of these men, namely MAX NELSON, EUSTACE CLARENCE MULLINS, [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] stated he has had the chance to know [REDACTED] better since [REDACTED]. He stated [REDACTED] however, have any connection with anything of interest to the FBI.

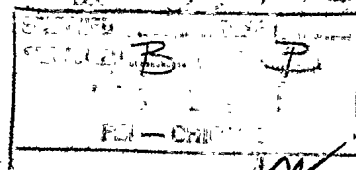
[REDACTED] stated that if [REDACTED] became active he is in an excellent position to know of such activity since he has recently become [REDACTED] with her.

Since [REDACTED] has returned to the United States it is requested the case concerning him be reactivated looking toward his ultimate inclusion on the potential bombing suspect list of the Chicago Division.

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- 1 - [REDACTED]
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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI
FROM : SAC, CHICAGO (157-89) ATT'N: IDENTIFICATION
DIVISION
SUBJECT: UNSUB; Bombing of Anshe East
Synagogue, 3760 N. Pine Grove,
Chicago, Illinois, 1/10/61
BOMBING MATTERS

ReBumairtel to Chicago dated 3/2/61.

ReBumairtel instructed that Chicago should immediately submit the necessary information concerning individuals engaged in anti-Semitic activities in the Chicago Division or other logical suspects in order that a comparison can be made of their fingerprints with the latent fingerprints developed in the letter submitted by the Chicago Office on 2/14/61.

The following individuals having known FBI Identification Division records would fit in the above category:

[REDACTED]
Bufile 61-7616
CG file 105-5843

[REDACTED]
Bufile 105-73527
CG file 105-3527
FBI Identification Record dated 11/21/53
(no number assigned) shows fingerprint
classification for [REDACTED]

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(1 - 105-5843) [REDACTED]
(1 - 105-3527) [REDACTED]
(1 - 157-8) [REDACTED]

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1 - 105-1152 (RUSTACE MULLINS)
2 - 105-5587 (WAYNARD NELSON)
1 - 65-532 (WILLIAM WERNERKE)

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EUSTACE CLARENCE MULLINS, JR.
Bufile 105-15727
CG file 105-1152
FBI # 37407D

MAYNARD ORLANDO NELSON
Bufile 100-351523
CG file 105-5527
FBI # 4270277

WILLIAM B. WERNERKE
Bufile 61-8118
CG file 65-582
FBI # 2970391.

It is requested that a comparison be made of the fingerprints of the above captioned individuals with the six latent fingerprints which were developed on the letter submitted by the Chicago Office on 2/14/61.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Washington 25, D. C.

REPORT

of the

LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION

Identification Division

YOUR FILE NO. 157-69
 FBI FILE NO. 157-317
 LATENT CASE NO. 30611

March 9, 1961

TO: SAC, Chicago

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RE: UNSUB.; BOMBING OF ANSHE EMET
 SYNAGOGUE, 3700 N. PINE GROVE
 CHICAGO, ILLINOIS, 1/10/61
 BOMBING MATTERS

REFERENCE: Airtel 3-6-61
 EXAMINATION REQUESTED BY: Chicago
 SPECIMENS:

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The previously developed latent fingerprints in
 this case are not identical with the fingerprints of named
 suspects [redacted]

[redacted] Eustace Clarence Mullins, Jr., Maynard Orlando
 Nelson, or William D. Wernecke.

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 John Edgar Hoover, Director

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AIRTEL

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (105-351528)
FROM: SAC, CHICAGO (105-5587)

MAYNARD ORLANDO NELSEN, Aka.
POTENTIAL BOMBING SUSPECT

MAYNARD NELSEN telephonically contacted me today at which time he advised that he is the Illinois Representative of the National States Rights Party (NSRP).

The NSRP is a nationwide organization which has as one of its main objectives the complete separation of non-white and dissatisfied racial minorities from "White Folk Communities". One of the main activities of the organization is the publishing of "The Thunderbolt", a monthly publication which is replete with inflammatory "hate type" material and viciously attacks Jews and the FBI.

NELSEN informed me that the FBI had his background as we had investigated him. He then went on to state that the NSRP was considering placing pickets around FBI Offices throughout the country. He advised that such picketing would very definitely be peaceful and would not, in any way, interfere with the operation of FBI business. He stated that he did not know when this picketing would take place. He advised that the purpose of his call was to determine whether there was any Federal violation in the peaceful picketing of an FBI Office.

I informed him that if he were desirous of knowing whether any set of facts constituted a Federal violation, he should communicate with the USA's Office.

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As the Bureau knows, that man is a potential bombing suspect who is periodically investigated by the Chicago Division as the occasion requires. He is violently anti-Semitic to the point of being considered psychotic.

Any further information concerning this matter which comes to our attention will be immediately forwarded to the Bureau.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC

CHICAGO

DATE:

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FROM : SA

ROBERT J. DELAN

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SUBJECT:

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Dates of Contact

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Titles and File #s on which contacted

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Purpose and results of contact

☐ Negative

☒ Positive

Ceo Attachment.

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Security Informant certified that he had furnished all information obtained by him since last contact.

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1 - 105-5587 (MAX NELSON)

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(UNSUB, white male, late 40's, 6', 160-170,
red hair and red mustache)

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On April 3, 1961, PCI advised that on March 29, 1961, a meeting was conducted at Chicago, Illinois, by [redacted] of the National States Rights Party (NSRP).

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The meeting commenced with all persons attending a gathering in Room 701, Atlantic Hotel, 316 South Clark Street, Chicago, Illinois. The room was a guest room rented by [redacted] under his own name and those attending were directed to the room by inquiring at the hotel desk for [redacted] room.

PCI stated that the group from the Fighting American Nationalists (FAN) arrived at the hotel at approximately 7:00 p.m. This group consisted of [redacted]

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[redacted] and one [redacted] (ph).

Upon arrival introductions began and [redacted] immediately told [redacted] that he was not welcome and that he could leave the same way he came in. Source stated that the room [redacted] had rented soon became crowded and [redacted] dispatched MAX NELSON and one [redacted] to secure larger accommodations.

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PCI stated that the following were the only persons present who were [redacted] during the course of the meeting:

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[redacted]
MAX NELSON
[redacted]

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PCI stated that the following are individuals unknown to him concerning whom only part of the name is known or where the name is unknown a description is available to the source:

[redacted]
[redacted]
[redacted]
[redacted]

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Concerning these individuals PCI stated both indicated they are NSRP members. Source learned that [redacted] advised that he had secured [redacted] telephone number from the American Nazi Party (ANP) Headquarters in Arlington, Virginia.

PCI advised that an unknown white male accompanied [redacted] Source described this individual as in his late [redacted]

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PCI stated that [redacted] is a friend of [redacted].
[redacted] He is approximately [redacted]
[redacted]

PCI stated that from thirty to thirty-five people were present during the evening. The meeting, source stated, was the most confused and ill-planned affair he has ever attended and as a result of the confusion that prevailed it was difficult or impossible to secure the identities or descriptions of all in attendance.

MAX NELSON appeared to be closely associated with [redacted] and gave the appearance of being in charge of the operation as far as details in Chicago were concerned. In this connection source learned that no NSRP group actually exists in the Chicago area.

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Shortly before 8:00 p.m. someone unknown to source secured a meeting place at Joe Sacco's Bar almost directly across Clark Street from the Atlantic Hotel. The group adjourned from [] hotel room to the bar, where they met on a balcony located at the rear of the bar. Source stated that he learned that the management had agreed they would not charge the group for use of the meeting area if everyone present would order something. PCI stated, however, that thought there were approximately thirty persons present during this portion of the meeting only eight individuals actually made a purchase.

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During the rest of the meeting [] and NELSON made speeches. He said they spoke chiefly regarding the progress of the NSRP in the South and the need to establish an NSRP chapter in Chicago. PCI stated they dwelled on the success of the organization in connection with the recent Presidential election, though he said [] indicated that the organization's success suffered because of lack of full support from the States of Texas and Illinois.

[] suggested that members in Chicago get together at least once a week, at which time they should hold a meeting and record the proceedings for dissemination to other nearby NSRP chapters. [] did not identify such chapters. PCI stated that [] implied this would stimulate interest in the organization and in the forming of chapters on a state level.

PCI pointed out that obviously all present were not NSRP members since [] remarked that those who were not NSRP members should definitely join. [] pointed out that once the organization is established \$5.00 per month dues will be charged, \$3.00 of which will go to the NSRP Headquarters and the remaining \$2.00 will be maintained locally. [] also suggested that NSRP people should purchase as many copies of the "Thunderbolt" as possible and flood the Chicago area with these papers.

CG [redacted]

Source reiterated that the meeting was confused and ill-planned as were the talks given by the three individuals previously identified. He stated that basically the meeting was a rehash of NSRP activities in connection with the recent Presidential election and general talk on the possibilities that exist in the future as regards Party progress.

PCI stated that during the course of the evening no actual efforts were made to organize the NSRP in Chicago. To his knowledge no attempt was made to recruit anyone to NSRP membership and he noted no attempts to secure subscriptions to the "Thunderbolt".

PCI stated that the FAN members attending this meeting were agreed that the whole evening was badly handled, that there was little planning and that the plans that were made were poorly drawn up. Source stated that FAN members were thoroughly disgusted with the meeting and with the NSRP in general, however, speculation is that FAN will continue its connections with the NSRP only for the possible future good of the FAN organization.

PCI stated that in connection with FAN activities, a FAN meeting was held on March 31, 1961, at the residence of [redacted]. He stated that the meeting commenced at approximately 9:15 p.m. and terminated about midnight. Present were [redacted] and [redacted]. PCI stated that the bulk of the meeting consisted generally of a rehash of the NSRP meeting and ended in a bull session.

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Source stated that [redacted] is currently driving a blue Ford sedan with Wisconsin 1961 License H25071.

PCI stated that FAN has two possible mailing addresses, one their Post Office Box at the New Post Office Building, Number 7563, and the other maintained by [redacted] at the Old Post Office, the number of which is presently unknown to source.

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Source stated that [redacted] has recently subscribed to "The Worker" under the name [redacted] and probably uses the address at his Post Office Box.

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PCI stated that nothing is new on the renting of a local headquarters although a number of possibilities have been found, most of the transactions have fallen through.

PCI identified photographs of a recent FAN picketing of a pro-[redacted] function held in Chicago. The members appearing in these pictures were identified as [redacted] and [redacted]

Above mentioned photographs are maintained in the 1A section of 157-3.

PCI stated that the [redacted] identified as being in attendance at this NSRP meeting is the same individual whom he has previously described as [redacted] in attendance at a recent FAN meeting.



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to
File No.

105-4630

Chicago, Illinois
April 2/, 1961

NATIONAL STATES RIGHTS PARTY
RACIAL MATTERS

On April 14, 1961, a confidential source, who holds a responsible position, advised that Maynard Orlando Nelsen currently holds a post office box, Number 1785, in Chicago, Illinois, under the name Realpolitical Institute.

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On December 10, 1954, Nelsen appeared at the Chicago Office of the FBI and advised that he is the "head of a vast anti-Communist underground movement throughout the United States." He displayed a copy of a leaflet concerning the Realpolitical Institute, which leaflet identified Nelsen as manager of that organization. Nelsen stated he was responsible for the preparation and distribution of the leaflet. The leaflet read, regarding one purpose of the organization:

"THE REALPOLITICAL INSTITUTE will sponsor a new, positive type of political action whereby the struggle against internal subversion is taken directly to our own Whitefolk, whose minds have been drugged by motion pictures, radio, television, and the infiltrated press. A former motion picture theatre will be purchased in the Chicago area and used as a community center where patriotic Whitemen can meet and discuss the crucial questions of the day. Vital political issues will be dramatically presented through programs by loyal American Nationalist leaders, speakers, and entertainers."

✓ On April 4, 1955, a second source, who has furnished reliable information in the past, advised the Realpolitical Institute was started by Maynard Orlando Nelsen in approximately November, 1954, in Chicago, Illinois. Nelsen's purpose was to create a new political party called the Realpolitical Institute. This organization is anti-Communist, anti-Semitic, and favors the white race. Nelsen hoped to gain a following for his party on these issues.

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This organization, source stated, failed to get "off the ground" and did not attract interest or a following. There were no known members other than Nelsen. His main activity in the organization was the occasional circularization of mimeographed leaflets in the Chicago area. Nelsen's idea was to get the organization started by holding mass meetings in a theater, though such meetings have failed to materialize. The only apparent money used to promote this organization was from Nelsen's own funds and, perhaps, an occasional contribution.

This source stated that Nelsen attempted to borrow money to set his plan in operation, but failed in this attempt. The organization, source stated, did not participate in parades, demonstrations or acts of violence. Concerning Nelsen himself, source advised in February, 1953, that in October, 1947, Nelsen was arrested for writing threatening letters, and at the time of the arrest plans for a Fascist organization (not further identified) were found on his person, as well as anti-Semitic and Fascist literature from the Patriotic Research Bureau. Source stated the Patriotic Research Bureau is an organization founded in 1938 which accumulated, compiled and published anti-Semitic and anti-Communist propaganda.

In May, 1947, Nelsen, then 23 years of age and a student at the University of Minnesota, admitted he was the Minneapolis leader of the Democratic Nationalist Party, an organization described by source as a "hate group" which advocated persecution of racial minorities.

The files of G-2, Chicago, were reviewed on June 30, 1955, and disclosed that Nelsen was a member of the "American Committee for the Advancement of Western Culture," an organization reported to have former top Nazis in its international leadership.

According to G-2, Chicago, Nelsen formerly resided in Minneapolis and was arrested in Minnesota in April, 1947, after he admitted placarding the University of Minnesota campus with anti-minority posters. In October, 1947, Nelsen appeared in Minneapolis attired in a Nazi uniform and carried detailed plans to "overthrow the government." These plans were not further identified. Nelsen was placed on probation

following a hearing that he be placed in an institution. Judge James Kehoe, when discharging Nelsen from parole, stated that Nelsen's "egocentric and inappropriate thinking has disappeared."

The second source, previously mentioned, advised on July 3, 1953, that according to information available to him, H. Keith Thompson, Jr., the former registered American agent of General Otto Remer's Socialist Reich Party of Western Germany, announced the formation of the American Committee for Advancement of Western Culture, of which he is the National Director. The Board of Directors of this organization will consist of many leading national figures, as will the Advisory Council. The purpose of the Committee will be to serve as a dynamic pressure group to further all political cultural and racial causes which tend to advance the struggle of Western civilization against the onslaught of Asiatic barbarism. The Committee will not be a membership organization, but will serve as a high policy planning group for the coordination of racial and nationalistic activities in America, Europe, Africa and Asia.

The same source on November 13, 1958, advised that Nelsen and an associate established the M & N Associates, Post Office Box 1785, Chicago 90, Illinois. Source stated that M & N Associates is a "paper organization" set up to distribute anti-Semitic and anti-Negro literature.

On March 1, 1960, a third confidential source, who was in a position to furnish reliable information, advised he is a close business and personal associate of Nelsen. He stated Nelsen has often expressed himself as a "racist" to the point of being psychotic. Source explained that when Nelsen "takes off" on his anti-Semitic and anti-Negro tirades he becomes pale white, highly excitable, nervous, shakes and shows evidence of uncontrollable facial contortions. Source stated Nelsen owns a .357 Magnum revolver and a 5 inch dagger, and source stated he has been informed Nelsen carries these weapons with him in a briefcase at all times.

On April 12, 1961, a fourth confidential source, an agency which collects security information in the Chicago area, advised that they had learned that Maynard Orlando Nelsen

also known as Max Nelsen, had contacted the Chicago Police Department on April 10, 1961.

Nelsen identified himself as being employed and residing in the Chicago area and stated he is affiliated with the National States Rights Party which is headquartered in Birmingham, Alabama. He added that he handles functional propaganda for the Party. Nelsen stated he wrote the National States Rights Party program and added the Party dealt only with legal politics.

Nelsen continued that his main activity with the National States Rights Party is to attack Communism, Communist organizations and individuals, especially in the Chicago Area. He stated that in this manner he expects to be introduced to the public which will serve his political ambitions culminating in his election as Governor of the State of Illinois ten years from now under the National States Rights Party political label.

Nelsen admitted having been arrested while harboring extreme ideas some years ago but claims maturity has made him more conservative.

Nelsen stated he was putting the Chicago police on notice that he expects "things are going to get rough" and that he does not wish to be suspected of any bombings or assassinations which may take place. He stated his activity comprises strictly "legal politics."

The following is a physical description of Maynard Orlando Nelsen, based on observation by Special Agents of the FBI on January 13, 1961, and on information obtained from the fourth confidential source, previously mentioned.

Race	White
Sex	Male
Date of Birth	January 1, 1924
Place of Birth	Minneapolis, Minnesota
Height	5'7"
Weight	130 pounds
Build	Medium
Hair	Blond
Eyes	Blue
	Wears glasses

Complexion
Residence

Employment

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114 Morgan Lane
Hoffman Estates
Roselle, Illinois
Laborent, Inc., 630 South
State Street, Chicago, Illinois
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A fifth confidential source, who has furnished reliable information in the past, advised that during the course of a National States Rights Party meeting held in Chicago, Illinois, on March 29, 1961, Dr. Edward R. Fields, head of the National States Rights Party, spoke of the necessity of forming a local National States Rights Party chapter in Chicago. He suggested that if a Chicago chapter is formed they should meet at least once a week and record the proceedings of the meeting for dissemination to other nearby chapters.

Source stated that nothing specific was accomplished. No efforts were made toward organizing a Chicago chapter of the National States Rights Party; to recruit members for the organization; to secure subscriptions for "The Thunderbolt", the organization's publication; and source noted no appointments were made to offices of the National States Rights Party.

MAYNARD ORLANDO NELSEN REPORTEDLY PSYCHOTIC, ARMED
AND DANGEROUS

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TO : SAC, CHICAGO (105-5587)

DATE: 4/28/61

FROM : SA ROBERT J. DOLAN

SUBJECT: MAYNARD ORLANDO NELSEN, aka
Max Nelsen
POTENTIAL BOMBING SUSPECT

ReCG airtel to Birmingham, dated 4/21/61, captioned
"NATIONAL STATES RIGHTS PARTY, RACIAL MATTERS."

Submitted herewith for possible future information
of this file is one copy of a letterhead memorandum
concerning captioned individual in connection with his
affiliation with the National States Rights Party.

Mentioned letterhead memorandum was prepared
and disseminated by communication referenced above.

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TO : SAC (105-5587)

DATE: 5/15/61

FROM : ASAC

SUBJECT: MAYNARD ORLANDO NELSON
RACIAL MATTERS AND POTENTIAL
BOMBING SUSPECTS

On this date MAYNARD NELSON telephonically contacted this office and advised that he was the Illinois representative of the National States Rights Party. He stated that he had not received an answer from the Justice Department relative to the legal aspects of his picketing the FBI. He indicated he had received an answer to his communication from the Justice Department but it did not answer his question.

He also advised that he noticed that the American Jewish Congress is going to meet at the Sherman Hotel in the near future. He stated the FBI should know this is one of the top subversive organizations in the United States and that a Rabbi PRINZ (phonetic) who had been kicked out of Berlin for his Communist activities was one of the leaders of the American Jewish Congress. He inquired as to whether or not the FBI intended to do anything about it. He was advised by the ASAC that the ASAC had no comment to make to him on anything. He then stated that the FBI should investigate this and we would find out a great deal, particularly about the Fourth Bureau, that they will have top people here, and he repeated this was the biggest subversive group in the Western world.

NELSON then stated that this was made in the form of a suggestion but he believed it should be of interest to the FBI and that we should do something about it.

Within ten minutes NELSON called back and advised the ASAC that for the information of the FBI he wanted to state that his attorney, one OSCAR HARMON, 1 La Salle Street, had, on May 9, 1961, on his behalf filed in the Superior Court of Cook County a libel suit for \$266,000 against GEORGE SOKOLSKY of the "Washington Post", which he described as a Communist newspaper, and the Union Newspaper Company of Chicago. He indicated all three were part of the Communist apparatus. He

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stated that the number of his suit is 61F8966 and merely thought it might be of interest to the FBI and we may desire to put it in the file that we have on him. He stated that the petition had a considerable amount of background on him and, therefore, he thought the FBI might be interested.

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TO : SAC, CHICAGO (105-5587)

DATE: May 23, 1961

FROM : SA ROBERT J. DOLAN

SUBJECT: MAYNARD ORLANDO NELSEN, aka.
POTENTIAL BOMBING SUSPECT

On May 15, 1961, Lieutenant [redacted] Security Unit, Chicago Police Department, made available for review one copy of Chicago Police Department report concerning captioned individual, dated April 11, 1961. The report reads as follows:

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"Subject: MAYNARD (MAX) NELSEN, Hoffman Estates, 114 Morgan Lane, Roselle-Schaymburg Center (north of Roselle), Illinois. (Supplementary report)

"Contacted subject by phone, HA 7-0208, at 0950 hours, Wednesday, 11 April 1961, to clarify certain information contributed by him and submitted in report, same subject, 10 April 1961.

"Subject stated that the Institute of Biopolitics is the unofficial, theoretical and policy making group of the National States Rights Party (NSRP), which provides ideas for various activities. Eustace MULLINS is the group's director and Maynard (Max) NELSON is the manager.

"He added that their organization seeks and expects to attain political power as a third party and that there is no conspiracy, subterfuge or violence involved.

"NELSEN said that after the last Synagogue bombing he was interviewed by two FBI men and wanted to go on record for his organization that they do not condone any bombings, assassinations or violence.

"He stated that they were running a legitimate political organization and, while being anti-Communist, they don't promote shooting Communists now but they intend to when they assume full political control of the country.

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"He further alleges that their organization is not and will not be guilty of any "Swastika" signs that may appear in public places."

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On August 2, 4, and 7, 1961, contact was had with [REDACTED] who requested that his identity not be revealed, furnished the following information:

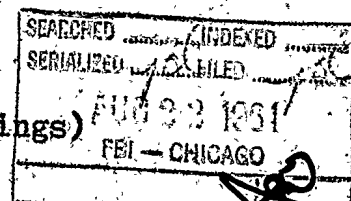
MAX NELSEN and [REDACTED] have informed that they operate an organization referred to as "The Institute" (Institute of Bio-Politics) but also frequently refer to "The States Rights Party" and seem to speak of both organizations interchangeably. They have displayed a considerable amount of literature from various other organizations and are attempting to recruit [REDACTED] into "their" organization. NELSEN has denied any connection with the American Nazi Party (ANP) stating he does not agree with GEORGE LINCOLN ROCKWELL's methods, however [REDACTED] has privately displayed ANP literature to [REDACTED] and speaks in a manner indicating he may have ANP affiliations.

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NELSEN has mentioned a "security unit" and a "police force" of "their organization" and states they have recruited some ex-members of the ANP who form the nucleus of a security guard. On August 7, 1961, NELSEN informed of a "States Rights" meeting which he has called for August 19, 1961, at the LaSalle Hotel, Chicago, at 8:00 PM. This meeting, according to NELSEN, will be listed on the hotel board in his name. The purpose of the meeting is to elect officers and to recruit applicants for the "police force". NELSEN stated he would like [REDACTED] to instruct the "police force" in defensive tactics and is currently looking for a place in which to hold a school where these individuals will also received training is the use of small arms, bombings, and the inciting of race riots, looking toward the day the "organization" takes over.

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1 - 105-2263 [REDACTED]
1 - 157-3 (ANP)
1 - 157-2 (Bombings and Attempted Bombings)
1 - 105-3527 [REDACTED]
1 - 105-1152 (EUSTACE MULLINS)
1 - 105-54 [REDACTED]
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[redacted] stated he believes NELSEN to be a psychopath in that as NELSEN puts it, when "the day" comes there will be mass murder and the shooting down of people in front of places like Roosevelt University. [redacted] speaks of obtaining machine guns for the security force and both have stated that when they start dealing with assassins and bombers they will not be dealing with syndicate hoodlums but instead with "trained sadists". According to [redacted] NELSEN lives in the past, believing that the best era was the 1920s when organized crime was dominant. He has ideas of returning to those conditions but "instead of bootlegging liquor we will bootleg ideas with our own enforcers". NELSEN has indicated some connection with a Sicilian nationalist group headquartered in the vicinity of Ashland Avenue and Diversey. Both NELSEN and [redacted] have mentioned an awareness of "plastico" a dough explosive used in demolition work and also are aware of other means of causing delayed explosions such as uncorking a bottle of liquid carbide in a closed room with a lighted candle to explode the carbide when sufficient fumes have filled the room. The use of a propane torch tank has also been mentioned for use in the same manner.

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[redacted] and NELSEN have commented on the bombing of synagogues in the past, stating they are not interested in bombing empty buildings - that if they bomb one it would be filled with people.

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In regard to "the organization" [redacted] has been told that NELSEN is "the theorist", [redacted] and EUSTACE MULLINS is "the propagandist".

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[redacted] related that [redacted] has stated that his only interests in life are sex and politics and [redacted] is of the opinion that he is [redacted]. He apparently frequents [redacted] and [redacted] believed by [redacted] to be hangouts for [redacted] presently resides at the [redacted]

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[redacted] made available a "press legitimization card" of "TIDN. NORDISK KAMP", Box 2149, Stockholm 2, Sweden, issued by that organization to [redacted] which bears a current photograph of [redacted]. This card was sent to [redacted] by [redacted] during a recent visit to Sweden and was furnished to [redacted] by [redacted]. It is retained in 105-4630.

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It is recommended that a [redacted] case concerning [redacted] be opened and assigned the writer.

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SA JOHN W. TOKDT

AMERICAN NAZI PARTY
RACIAL MATTERS

On 8/3/61 [redacted]

[redacted] advised he had learned
of the following scheduled meetings:

8/11/61 - We, The Mothers, [redacted] 8 pm,
Press Room, 18th Floor, La Salle Hotel

8/14/61 - Pro-American Information League,
[redacted] 8 pm, Indian Room, Fort
Dearborn Hotel

8/19/61 - National States Rights Party, 8 pm,
La Salle Hotel.

On 8/9/61 [redacted] furnished one copy each of a
letter from ISHMAEL FLORY on a letterhead of the African-
American Heritage Association (AAHA) concerning the latter
meeting together with an enclosed reproduction of two sheets
from "The Thunderbolt." This letter, [redacted]

[redacted] from AAHA, Suite 14, 306
East 43rd Street, Chicago, stated hosts for the NSRP
meeting would be MAX NELSON and [redacted] This letter
included an invitation to attend a conference 8/12/61 at
AAHA Headquarters to discuss that meeting and agree on
common action.

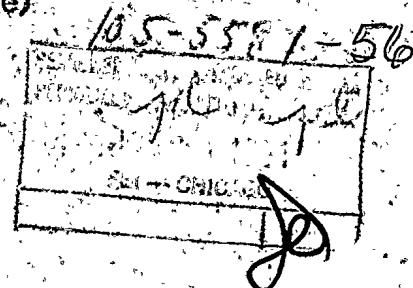
The above items are retained in 105-4630.

Recommendation: None.

Information disseminated by airtel and letterhead memo.

- ① - 105-5587 (MAX NELSEN)
- 1 - 105- [redacted] (We, The Mothers)
- 1 - 105-9995 [redacted]
- 1 - 157-27 (Pro-American Information League)
- 1 - 105-4630 (NSRP)
- 1 - 100-35162 (AAHA)
- 1 - 100-3293 [redacted]
- 1 - 105-3527 [redacted]
- 1 - 105-1709 (JOSEPH BRAUHARNAIS)

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Addendum: On 8/16/61 [] advised that among those in attendance at the August 11, 1961 meeting of "We, the Mothers", was JOSEPH BEAUHARNAIS. It is recommended that investigation be conducted to establish BEAUHARNAIS's present residence in Chicago.

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Memorandum

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TO : SAC, CHICAGO (105-5587)

DATE: 9/15/61

FROM : SA JOHN W. TOEDT

SUBJECT: MAX NELSEN
RACIAL MATTERS

On 9/1/61 [REDACTED] PCI (RAC), whose identity must be protected, furnished a copy of a pamphlet entitled "Pax Americana, the Elite White Man's Guide Book", self-described as published by the Institute for Biopolitics, Post Office Box 1785, Chicago 90, Illinois. The source advised that this pamphlet was loaned to him by MAX NELSEN and [REDACTED] NELSEN and [REDACTED] told him that it was written by NELSEN and is the "Bible" of thier organization.

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The original of the pamphlet was returned to the source. Copies are retained as 105-5587-1A11.

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MAYNARD ORLANDO NELSEN, aka.
RACIAL MATTERS

Reurlet 9/20/61.

You should discreetly procure a copy of the book
"This Difficult Individual, Ezra Pound," written by subject
and Eustace Mullins, and furnish it to the Bureau.

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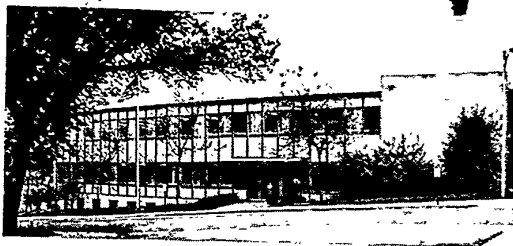
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September 16, 1961

Mr. James H. Gale
Special Agent in Charge
Federal Bureau of Investigation
536 South Clark Street
Chicago 5, Illinois

Dear Mr. Gale:

Re: Letter from
Maynard O. Nelson

I thought you might be interested in reading
the attached letter from this chap.

He may be a crack-pot, possibly not.

Anyway, here it is!

Cordially,

C. Raymond Long
Editor and Publisher

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536 South Clark Street
Chicago 5, Illinois
September 18, 1961

Mr. C. Raymond Long
Editor and Publisher
Elgin Daily Courier-News
Elgin, Illinois

Dear Mr. Long:

This is to acknowledge receipt of your letter of September 16, 1961, together with its enclosure. Your interest in bringing this matter to my attention is indeed appreciated.

Should you at any time in the future have information which you believe would be of interest to the Federal Bureau of Investigation please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely yours,

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JAMES H. GALE
Special Agent in Charge

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